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WIDE OPEN SPLIT IN PARTY NOW IMMINENT

MAN KILLED IN FALL FROM HIGH LINE WORK

John Carlyle, white man, working for the Fred E. Jones Construction Company, building the high power line for the Central Texas Light and Power Company, died Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from injuries received when he fell from the sub station structure at Springfield, about 10:30 a. m.

It is not known just how the accident happened, except that he fell from the structure where he was at work, and was immediately rushed to the hospital at Groesbeck, where he died after recovering from the electric shock. It is supposed that he must have been hurt internally by the fall of twenty-five feet.

The body was shipped to some point near San Antonio where deceased lived. He is survived by his wife and two children who had been visiting him since the 4th and who were at his bedside when death relieved his suffering.

An Ideal Summer Home In The City

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 7.—H. F. Harris has probably the most unusual summer home in Texas. It is on the second floor of a condemned school house in the seventh ward, and it's cool.

Harris, who is a repair man for the public schools decided his own home would be too hot and stuffy during the summer months. So he and his family moved into the old building which is more than 30 years old.

The fact that the building has been condemned as a school house doesn't worry Harris nor his family. Plenty of windows in his new home to catch all of the breeze, he says. And then the children enjoyed it. They can draw pictures on the black boards and slide down the long banisters.

SOCIALISTS TO SUPPORT ROBT. M. LA FOLLETTE

CLEVELAND, July 7.—Senator La Follette's candidacy will be endorsed by the National Socialist party in convention here at its opening session today. Three hundred delegates are on hand.

CARRIED OUT THREAT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—A. McNeese heard over the telephone the shot that killed his friend F. S. McGlothin. McNeese answered the phone and McGlothin told him he was going to kill himself. "Mac don't do that" McNeese began, and then he heard the shot. Hurrying to McGlothin's home, McNeese found his friend dead on the floor beside the telephone.

HEIRS WANT IT ALL

EL PASO, Texas, July 7. 1924.—About 900 Southern Methodist ministers are made parties in the suit of Wm. S. Atherton against the First National bank, executor of the late Atherton's estate here. Terms of his will left about $9000 to aged Methdist minister. His heirs are contesting the will which would give each of the ministers about $10.

ON THE JOB AGAIN

WASHINGTON, July 7.—C. Bascom Slemp, President Coolidge's secretary, returned to his desk after a three week's vacation. Mr. Slemp dispelled rumors that he had quit permanently because of a disagreement with Wm. M. Butler, chairman of the republican national committee, over the management of the republican convention.

NEW USE FOR INJUNCTION

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—Cruz Lozano, pretty Mexican girl, has been granted an injunction restraining her suitor, George Charo, from "annoying and talking love" to her. Miss Lozano complained to the court that Charo's persistent wooing was a source of annoyance to her.

HIGH FLYERS FLY TOO LOW

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—Mrs. Duff Ford has protested to Kelly field officers about airplanes flying low over her house. The shadows made by the ships frighten her flock of chickens, Mrs. Ford complains.

FRANK ROOSEVELT IS OUTSTANDING FIGURE IN BIG CONVENTION

By FRAZER EDWARDS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

U. P. HEADQUARTERS, Waldorf Hotel, New York, July 7.—No matter whether his candidate—Governor Al Smith of New York—wins or loses, Franklin D. Roosevelt stands out as the real hero of the Democratic convention of 1924.

Adversity has lifted him about the bickering, the religious bigotry, conflicting personal ambitions and petty sectional prejudices.

It has made him the one leader commanding the respect and admiration of delegates from all sections of the land.

Stricken two years ago at the zenith of his career with infantile paralysis, Roosevelt refused to concede the defeat that a weaker man would have accepted as fate. He merely smiled and fought back. It was a genuine smile with the gameness of generations of American blood and breeding behind it.

From a lithe, able figure, standing 6 feet 2, and tipping the beam at 190, with the head of a Greek God, he had become half a man physically. That handsome head—with a new expression—that magnificent torso, were still his, but the long, straight, sturdy legs that carried him so nonchalantly through street parades in the disastrous Democratic campaign of 1920, were gone. They have shriveled to mere shanks and only by the aid of steel braces and crutches can he walk.

But the determination that knows no defeat has won him back a long way on the road to recovery. And despite his infirmity he took charge of Governor Smith's campaign. Those who have watched him in the convention and at conferences of leaders know why Al Smith picked Roosevelt to guide his political destiny. His wise and aggressive campaign has fired the admiration of all but his own conduct has been the real marvel of the convention.

Roosevelt might be a pathetic, tragic figure, but for the fine courage that flashes in his smile. It holds observers enchanted. They forget the tortured progress that he makes on crutches, dragging his legs as he makes his way down to the aisle of the convention hall. That smile holds a spiritual grace that it lacked when Roosevelt was assistant secretary of the navy. Then he appeared to revel in abundant good health and magnificent manhood. Even the responsibilities of Democratic vice presidential nomination failed to give the present touch.

It was not merely sympathy for a big man crippled that caused the great throng in Madison Square Garden to give Roosevelt that only real spontaneous ovation yet accorded any candidate or leader. It was more than the courage that glows in the handsome face. The crowd caught the spirit beneath.

Al Smith, idol of New Yorkers, has been denied the privilege of appearing in person before the convention, but it is doubtful if he or William G. McAdoo, could awaken, even among his "crusaders" the depth of feeling touched by the gallant Roosevelt. Pat Harrison, of Mississippi, with all his personality, George Brennan, with all his power, Tom Taggart, with all his party service, Cordell Hull, with all his sincerity—none has brought the Garden crowd to its feet in the burst of frenzied cheers that greets Roosevelt.

Even if the nomination were tendered him, even if his doctors, who say he will be restored fully to health would permit, he would not accept it, but the delegates to this convention, if permitted to break the deadlock in their own way would undoubtedly vote for Franklin Roosevelt, with the red badge of courage pinned to his breast.

FIRE ON SOUTH McKINNEY TODAY

The home of C. A. Carter on south McKinney street, two doors this side of ball park, was completely destroyed by fire Monday morning at 10:35 o'clock. Mrs. Carter was at work in the back yard when the fire was discovered, and was able to save only one trunk. The house and contents were ruined by fire and water, the origin is unknown. The home was insured for $1,000 and contents $1,000.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Tuesday fair; warmer tonight in northeast.

West Texas—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy; probably showers in Panhandle.

New Mexico Will Hang Woman.

MRS. KATHRYN HALSEY

Mrs. Kathren Hulsey, of Hope, N. M., will be hanged for the murder of her husband, Fred Hulsey, wealthy cattleman. Her two male accomplices, who actually committed the murder—Luther Foster and Claude B. Archer—will be hanged with her.

Bare Fighting Chance For Young Coolidge

WASHINGTON, July 7—The President of the United States prayed today at the bedside of his younger son.

Only a little better than a fighting chance for life remained for Calvin Coolidge, Jr., doctors agreed at 9 o'clock.

Not as the Nation's chief executive, but as a father, knowing in full measure a father's grief, just as it comes to the humblest in the land—Mr. Coolidge brought the simple, rugged New England faith of his ancestors to ask that his son be spared.

With the President was Mrs. Coolidge nearly worn out with anxiety and sorrow for the son she loves and whom the finest surgeons of Washington are almost powerless to aid.

Duties of the White House, all thoughts of coming party strife, have been laid aside for the moment. The Coolidges, as any other father and mother would, watched at the bedside where a spark of life still flickered feebly this morning. Their boy was unconscious of their presence.

In every corner of the land, fathers and mothers of the Nation sorrowed with them. Twice Sunday, encouraged by optimistic reports from six physicians who are fighting the septic poison that is sapping 16-year-old Calvin's vitality, the President turned to thoughts of his office, only to hurry again to the Walter Reed hospital as sinking spells sapped the boy's vitality.

Finally the Coolidges remained all night at the hospital, most of the time at their son's bedside.

"A bare fighting chance," was all the doctors held out.

Later—Hope is held out for the recovery of young Coolidge after he passed through a severe crisis and hung tenaciously to life. The doctors had given him only one chance in ten thousand to survive the crisis but the boy is making a game fight for life.

DOHENY MOVES TO QUASH INDICTMENTS

WASHINGTON, July 7.—E. L. Doheny and son filed motions in the District of Columbia Supreme Court to quash the indictments against them by a special oil grand jury. They contend that the indictments are invalid because a Department of Justice official was in the grand jury room when the testimony was taken.

WHAT STOPPED THE CLOCKS

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, July 7.—When wire trouble caused all Western Union clocks in the city to stop at 9 o'clock, the report spread quickly that the Democratic deadlock had been broken. Many persons thought the president had died. By noon, the clocks were running again.

HALF MILLION BUSHELS WHEAT

CHILDRESS, Texas, July 7.—The wheat crop in this section will total 500,000 bushels, according to predictions made by leading grain men. The yield is from 16 to 30 bushels an acre.

AMERICANS IN PERSIA

CALCUTTA, July 7.—The American squadron flying around the world left Karachi today for Charbar, Persia.

SECTION BRAZIL'S ARMY REBELS SATURDAY

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, July 6.—(Delayed)—A section of the army of the State Sao Paulo rebelled against its officers early Saturday seized public buildings and caused considerable excitement before order was restored by Federal troops over Saturday and today.

The movement apparently started because of dissatisfaction in the ranks of the decision of the Soa Paulo State government to renew its contract for a French military mission, which has been instructing and reorganizing the State's military forces for the last three years.

Troops in several barracks gathered quietly in the early hours of the morning, seized a number of their officers and started a parley with the State Government.

The officers, backed by Governor Carlos de Campos and the Federal garrison refused to yield to the rebels' demands and there was some street fighting Saturday. A dispatch to the government organ, Jornal do Commercio, here today says the insurrection has been subjugated.

The Federal Government, however, has declared martial law in the Federal district (Rio de Janeiro and environs) the State of Rio de Janeiro and the State of Sao Paulo.

Rail communications between Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo City, the second city of the Republic and center of Brazil's great coffee industry, has taken over by the military and public traffic prohibited. The military also has assumed control of telephone and telegraphic communications.

PENNSYLVANIA OIL REDUCED TO $3; ALSO OTHER GRADES

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 7.—Pennsylvania crude oil was cut to $3 per barrel, the second cut in two months. Other grades were reduced from 10 to 50 cents.

McLAREN IN JAPAN

TOKIO, July 7.—The British around the world airplane piloted by Major Stuart MacLaren left Kushimo today. Dispatches here did not give the destination of the plane.

TODAY'S CONVENTION PROGRAM

Invocation.

Presentation of reports by committee seeking to end deadlock.

Balloting on reports.

Resumption of balloting for presidential nominee.

Jim Democrat Stanch McAdoo Boomer.

JIM DEMOCRAT

Jim Democrat, 80 years old, of Aalanta, Ga., who ran for the doctor the night William Gibbs McAdoo was born in Marietta, Ga., attended the Democratic National Convention as the guest of the Georgia delegation, stopping in a luxurious hotel suite. Jim never attended school, but reads and writes fluently, and has educated his children highly.

Nelson Will Manage La Follette Campaign.

JOHN M NELSON

Representative John M. Nelson, of Wisconsin, insurgent leader in the House of Representatives, has been seelcted to manage the independent Presidential compaign of U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, whose hat is definitely in the ring.

Americans Fighting For Olympic Honors

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

COLUMBUS STADIUM, Paris, July 7.—Trailing Finland and Sweden at the end of the first day's contests, America's Olympic track and field Athletes set out today to reverse the standing.

The point score after two events had been decided Sunday, stood:

Finland 30, Sweden 11, United States 6.

The United States failed to place a man in the 10,000-meter run which was taken by Willie Ritalo, an American trained Finn in world's record time. Verne Booth, U. S. A., was the first American home and he finished no better than twelfth.

Finland won 17 points in this event.

Ritola ran one of the greatest races in the history of modern Olympiads, and did not even know the race was over when he crossed the line. He was setting out strongly on an extra lap when officials caught him.

The javelin throw was the other final event contested yesterday. This was won by Myrra, the powerful Finn. Eugene Oberst of Notre Dame took third, providing four points for the United States while William Neufeldt of the University of California was fifth, accounting for two more points. This showing was better than had been expected.

All four Americans entered in the 100-meters qualified—Loren Murchison, Chet Bowman, Jackson V. Scholz and Charley Paddock.

Three—Charley Brookins, G. C. Taylor and Ivan Riley—qualified in the 400-meters hurdles, C. F. Coulter, having the misfortune to fall at the first hurdle.

Leroy T. Brown, T. M. Osborn and Tom Poor qualified in the high jump, while all our entries, Bill Richardson, S. C. Enck, "Soapy Watters" and Ray Dodge, made the grade in the 800-meters.

The track yesterday was slow, soaked by a heavy downpour but the running of the Americans in the trials was impressive.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesterday's hero: Jimmy Ring. The veteran Phillies pitcher shut out the Giants for their first defeat of this sort this season. The Giants and Phillies divided a Sunday bill, New York taking the first, 5 to 1, and dropping the second, 2 to 0.

The Yanks made four runs in the ninth and beat Washington, 7 to 4. Ruth got hs 22nd homer and two doubles.

Brilliant fielding by Pittsburgh, especially difficult chances accepted by Traynor, helped the Pirates beat the Reds, 9 to 2.

Danforth gave Detroit but three hits and the Browns won the final game of the series, 5 to 1.

In a hard hitting contest, the White Sox emerged victors over the Indians, 9 to 6.

The Cardinals made sixteen hits and beat the Cubs, 13 to 4.

Brooklyn and the Braves divided a doubt-header, the Braves winning the first, 4 to 1, and the Dodges getting the second, 5 to 0.

RUMORED ASSAULT AT WINKLER IN FREESTONE COUNTY

rumor reached Mexia Monday morning that bloodhounds were wanted at Winkler, Freestone county to trail a man supposed to be a negro for attempting to assault the 14 year old daughter of Jim Haggard.

The father had gone off to look for some hands and his little daughter went out on the back porch sometime during Sunday night, and was heard to scream. The screams awakened her mother and she went to her assistance, but the man who had made the attack had fled.

A phone message was received here during the night by Mrs. T. A. Kindred asking the whereabouts of her son, in order to send after the dogs with his airplane.

It was learned here during the morning that dogs had been secured from Fort Worth and would be put on trail as soon as they could be transported to the scene of the attack, which is about ten miles from Streetman in Freestone county.

Nothing further had been heard at the time of going to press.

BOMB WRECKS SUGAR HOUSE

DETROIT, Mich., July 7.—Three persons were injured—one of them fatally—when a bomb explosion wrecked a wholesale sugar house hereearly today.

This Snake Was Living On Eggs

MARLIN, Texas, July 7.—When Arthur Jackson heard a commotion in his chicken yard during the night he rushed out to find an enormous snake gulping down a setting of eggs.

On killing the reptile Jackson found it to measure six feet five inches in length and seven inches in circumference. The snake could have held another two dozen eggs easily, Jackson believed.

COUNTY ATTORNEY WORKING ON WAR MEMORIAL MEASURE

Charles Theobald, county attorney, is working on a proposed legislative bill for the Galveston War Memorial Association that will authorize the cities and counties of Texas to expend money out of their general fund or assist any order seeking the erection of any memorial, it was announced after a meeting of the association recently.

The legislature may from time to time make appropriations for preserving memorials to the history of Texas by means of monuments, statues, paintings and douements of historical value, according to the provisions of the bill. It will not apply to bond issues or tax levies.

A copy of the proposed bill will be put into the hands of all members of the legislature at the January session. A letter requesting various lodges and organizations to contribute a small sum to finance the campaign for the new law will be sent out from Galveston, it was announced.

A committee consisting of J. U. Smith, J. M. Burke and P. W. Collerain was appointed to draw up a letter of condolence for the late A. T. Webster, former member of the central committee.

MEXIA BANK DEPOSITS THREE AND HALF MILLION

According to the bank statements just published the three Mexia banks have deposits totalling $3,511,818.47. And this in face of the fact that the oil boom is almost forgotten history. It shows that Mexia is a substantial city of progressive people, and will always be such a city.

ODD FELLOWS DISTRICT MEETING AT TEAGUE

The Odd Fellows of this section will hold a district meeting at Teague Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, with the grand master present as the principal speaker. Tuesday night the Initiatory degree will be put on by a specially organized team and there is a treat in store for all who attend. All Odd Fellows are invited.

CHARTER ELECTION GETTING GOOD VOTE

At 3:15 this afternoon there had been polled 420 votes in the charter election, and as the polls will remeain open until 7 p. m., the vote will probably go over 600, which is a good vote in Mexia for anything except a general primary election.

TEXAS DELEGATES PROPOSE TO ADJOURN TWO WEEKS

NEW YORK, July 7.—Possibilities of a wide open split in the Democratic party, which would result in the adjournment of the session here, followed by two separate conventions, one for McAdoo and one for Smith, began to appear as the balloting was resumed.

The convention voted down the peace agreement signed by all candidates except McAdoo.

Texas delegates will propose that the convention adjourn to meet two weeks hence.

No material change in the voting and the deadlock remains hard and fast.

78th Ballot—
McAdoo 511
Smith 363 1-2
Davis 73 1-2

79th Ballot—
McAdoo 507 1-2
Smith 365 1-2
Davis 73

The convention unanimously approved a resolution extending sympathy to President Coolidge and wife and expressing hope for the recovery of their son.

James M. Cox arrived today and hoped that he may contribute something to breaking the deadlock.

80th Ballot —
McAdoo 454 1-2
Smith 366 1-2
Glass 68
Davis 75 1-2

81st Ballot—
McAdoo 432
Smith 365
Davis 71
Glass 73
Glass 73

82nd Ballot—
McAdoo 412 1-2
Smith 366
Davis 73
Glass 75

By an overwhelming vote the convention adopted the peace committee proposal that all delegates be released to vote as they please. This was a crushing blow to McAdoo.

Adjourned to 8:30 p. m.

The convention adjourned after the 83rd ballot until 8:30 tonight.

83rd Ballot—
McAdoo 418
Smith 368
Others scattering.

UNIT RULE BROKEN WITH LITTLE CHANGE

Special to Daily News

NEW YORK, July 7, 3 p. m.—At the end of the 82nd ballot no change since last week's balloting: McAdoo 413 1-2, Smith 366.

The unit rule was broken for uninstructed delegations with little change.

—A. Garland Adair.

Dr. Fred Cook Is A Real Pauper

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 7.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook will take the pauper's oath and make appeal from his 14 year sentence and fine of $12,000 following his trial for misusing the mails, before a special session of court in Atlanta, Ga., July 7. This will be Dr. Cook's last resort of appeal. His petition states that he is not financially able to have the court proceedings printed and that if such form of appeal is required, asks that the government be liable for the expense incurred.

AND THERE ARE OTHER KINDS OF FOOLISHNESS

GAINESVILLE, Texas, July 7.—Ambitious youngsters who have equipped their automobiles with homemade horns that give out a sound like the bawling of a cow, must stop squawking the contraptions on the streets, the city council has ruled. The "city dads" are tired of the foolishness, they say.

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH IS DISCOVERED

AMARILLO, Texas, July 7.—The fountain of youth that Ponce de Leon sought is to be found on any golf course if we are to take the word of Former Governor Barrows of Arizona a recent visitor here. The former governor is 75 years old, straight as an arrow and offered to bet he could cutrun any man in the city. He gives credit to golf for his physical condition.

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BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION
Yesterday's Results.

Mexia 9, Corsicana 5.
Marlin 8, Waco 0.
Austin 9, Temple 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	13	9	4	.692
Waco	12	8	4	.667
Marlin	13	8	5	.615
Austin	13	6	7	.462
Mexia	12	5	7	.417
Temple	13	2	11	.154

Where They Play Today.

Mexia at Temple.
Waco at Corsicana.
Austin at Marlin.

CROCKETT FAILS TO STOP GUSHERS

Mexia continued its heavy hitting and led by home runs by Geppert and Williamson knocked Crockett out of the box in three innings.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	5	0	1	1	0	0
Grubb 3 b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Thornton 1 b	4	1	0	7	0	0
Brown s f	4	1	2	1	0	0
Barrett r f	4	1	3	1	0	0
Hamilton 2 b	4	1	1	4	4	0
Sain s s	3	0	1	2	2	0
Vann c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Crockett p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hollis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Arguijo p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Total	34	5	9	24	8	0
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	5	1	3	2	4	0
Butler l f	5	1	1	3	0	0
Bryan c f	5	0	1	1	0	0
Seely r f	4	2	2	1	0	0
Jones 3 b	4	3	3	1	3	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	3	3	3	0
Evans 1 b	3	1	0	9	1	0
Williamson c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Coleman p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Total	37	9	15	27	13	0

Hollis batted for Vann in ninth.

Corsicana 020 010 020—5
Mexia 022 230 00*—9

Home runs—Geppert, Williamson. Three-base hit—Hamilton. Two-base hits—Etheridge, Sain, Butler, Bryan, Seely, Jones 2, Leedy 2. Stolen base—Brown. Struck out—By Crockett 2, Arguijo 5, Coleman 6. Bases on balls—Off Coleman 1. Pitchers' records—Off Crockett 10 hits, 6 runs in 2 2-3 innings. Time of game—1 hour and 50 minutes. Umpire—Stone.

MARLIN 8, WACO 0.

WACO, Texas, July 7.—Glaring errors by Caffey early in the game paved the way for Marlin's easy victory over Waco.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	0	1	1	0	1
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lewis s s	4	0	1	1	5	0
Caffey c f	3	0	2	1	0	3
Hall 3 b	4	0	2	0	2	0
Shires 1 b	3	0	1	12	2	0
Humphreys c	4	0	1	4	1	1
Williams r f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Hill p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Ragan p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Provence	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	0	9	27	15	5
Marlin—						
Craig c f	5	1	2	1	0	0
White 3 b	4	1	2	0	2	0
Geer l f	1	0	1	0	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	2	1	2	3	0
Munson r f	5	2	2	3	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	5	2	2	12	3	0
Rawlins s s	4	0	2	2	2	0
Covington c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Vick p	4	0	0	1	4	0
Total	38	8	13	27	15	0

Provence batted for Ragan in ninth.

Marlin 011 110 100—8
Waco 000 000 000—0

Home runs—White, Pipkin, Craig, Munson. Two-base hits—Lewis, Munson, Humphreys, Caffey, Craig. Stolen bases—White, Covington, Alexander. Struck out—By Vick 5, Hill 2, Ragan 2. Bases on balls—Off Vick 2, Ragan 2. Pitchers' record—Off Hills 8 hits, 6 runs in 3 1-3 innings.

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WMC, Memphis, 500.
WSB, Atlanta, 429.
WDAF, Kansas City, Mo., 411.
WDAR, Chicago, 360.
WDAR, Philadelphia, 395.
WFAA, Dallas, 476.
WHAS, Louisville, Ky., 400.
WIP, Philadelphia, 509.
WJAX, Cleveland, Ohio, 390.
WLW, Cincinnati, 309.

By DAISEY MAYS
(See Station Calls Above)
Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

6 to 7 p. m.

KGO, 6 to 7:30, Dance orchestra.
WWJ, 6, Schmeiman's band.
WDAF, 6 to 7, School of the Air.
WOO, 6, Weekly health talk.
WOAW, 6, Speakers' half-hour.
WOAW, 6:30 to 7:30, Dinner program.
WOC, 6:30, Sandman's visit.
WGY, 6:45, Address.

7 to 8 p. m.

WOO, 7, Piano music.
WGY, 7, Program of old time songs.
WLW, 7, Grand opera.
WHB, 7 to 8, Educational talks and music.
WCX, 7:30, Moosehart band.
WAAW, 7:30 to 9, Dance music, symphonic orchestra.

8 to 9 p. m.

WDAR, 8, Dance orchestra.
WOO, 8, Havana Casino dance orchestra.
WDAF, 8 to 9:15, Star's orchestra and WDAF Ministrels.
WSB, 8 to 9, Union Baptist colored quartet.
WOC, 8, Musical program.
WWJ, 8:30, Detroit News orchestra.
WMC, 8:30, Gayoso Hotel orchestra.

9 to 10 p. m.

WOAW, 9 to 11, program.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFI, 10 to 11, Evening Herald concert.
KGW, 10 to 12, Musical program.
KGO, 10, Educational program.
WOC, 10, Musical program.
WSB, 10:45, Warners Seven Aces.

11 to 12

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.

AUSTIN 9, TEMPLE 2

AUSTIN, Texas, July 6.—Austin was in a slugging mood today, winning over Temple, 9 to 2. Matlock hit three two-baggers.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon 2 b	4	2	2	2	3	0
Matlock 3 b	4	1	3	2	2	0
Courtney l f	5	1	1	2	0	0
Anheier 1 b	4	0	2	6	2	0
Bedford c f	3	1	0	3	0	0
McIver r f	3	2	2	1	0	0
Gaither s s	3	0	0	1	1	1
Banner c	3	1	2	8	0	0
Whitworth p	1	1	1	2	1	0
Total	33	9	13	27	9	1
Temple—						
Wren l f	5	1	3	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	4	0	1	5	4	0
Brown c f	4	1	1	0	0	0
McElwee r f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Lind 1 b	4	0	0	10	2	0
Lacy c	1	0	0	1	1	0
Hudspeth c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Rich s s	4	0	0	0	5	1
Ludwick p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nugent p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Leissner	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	2	8	24	15	1

Hudspeth hit for Lacy in fourth.
Leissner hit for Nugent in ninth.

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Home run—Banner. Two-base hits—Lance, Cannon 2, Matlock 3, Anheier, Wren, McIver, Whitworth, McElwee. Struck out—By Whitworth 8, Nugent 4. Bases on balls—Off Ludwick 2, Nugent 1. Whitworth 1. Losing pitcher—Ludwick. Stolen bases—Matlock, Bedford 2.

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With the approach of summer, many housewives are confronted with a new phase of the food problem. The whole family, or some part of it, begins going off on hikes, fishing expeditions, camping trips, motor tours.

Or if it doesn't, it should. Getting outdoors is a growing national custom, and one that means more for health than almost any other you can think of. The automobile has brought the country and even the wilderness within striking distance of the city dweller. Every boy and girl ought to be taken outdoors early and taught how to live in the woods, how to swim, paddle a canoe, and cook over a camp fire. Love of outdoor life is a thing that gets into the blod. If your children acquire a taste for outdoor sports and a love of nature, they have a form of health insurance that will in all probability last a life time.

The trouble with many camping trips and some picnics lies in the department of the commissary. You have to learn how to feed yourself out doors, just as you have to learn how to sleep comfortably on the ground, how to avoid poison ivy and deerflies, how to make a fire and pitch a camp.

Most camp menus are deficient in fruits and vegetables, and this is especially true of hiking and canoe trips where economy of space and weight is necessary. It is often impossible to carry fresh fruits and vegetables and difficult to take enough canned goods to last.

Fruits and vegetables supply vitamines, minerals such as lime and iron and cellulose or roughage, which are just as necessary to health in the long run as sugars and proteids. The typical camp fare of bacon, beans and flapjacks, with a little canned stuff, may do well enough for a few days, but in the long run, without variety, it is bad. In combination with the large appetite which outdoor life brings, it accounts for many an attack of indigestion.

It is well to remember that about one half the bulk of a wholesome diet should consist of fruits and vegetables If this rule were followed many of the typical ills of civilization would vanish.

Dried fruit affords one of the most convenient methods of balancing the too-heavy camp diet and wise outdoor men know this. Inexperienced campers seldom make enough use of dried fruit, and especially of the imported dried fruits which need no cooking—that is, dates and figs. They think of them as winter delicacies rather than as substantial all year round food. Dates and figs are packed in paper and glass in such a way that they are available in good condition at all seasons.

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The same is true in large measure of figs, which have a little less food value than dates, but have a specific action on the bowles that makes them especially valuable as an element in a too-concentrated diet.

Prunes and dried apricots are two other fruits that should go with every camper for the sake of his health. The secret of preparing these fruits is to let them soak in water over night. High grade dried apricots, so treated before cooking make a delicious dessert which anyone can prepare.

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By HEDDA HOYT
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NEW YORK, July 3.—(United Press.)—

Sing a song of sixpense
Pocket full or rye
Five and twenty bathing girls
Basking neath the sky
When the day was over
The girls began to squeal
Because the sun had baked them brown
And they began to peel!

Baking the epidermis under the hot sun's rays has lost it's charm to the Fashionables, who have found that sunburned complexions require months of bleaching to restore them to pink and whiteness. Women who favor the deep brown complexion for summer months are resorting to colored powders rather than to actual sun rays and even colored powders are only being used for beach purposes, as the flimsy evening gowns this season demand lovely complexions.

Beach parasols have never been so popular as they will be this year. Small cloche-shaped beach hats will be worn to ward off the sun and to keep one from getting wrinkles about the eyes—"sun-squinting wrinkles," they are termed. Heavy powders are to be used for beach purposes. Shoulder capes will keep milady's shoulders white and long-sleeved bathing suits are designed to prevent freckled arms.

Bathing Suit Styles.

Several years ago Annette Kellerman appeared in a one-piece bathing suit and since then thousands of women harkened to the call of the "figure" and appeared in these sung-fitting garments. Figures became so plentiful that the beach censor couldn't add them. And what happened? Figures ceased to be an attraction. Today the Fashionables let the others loll about with bare limbs and skin-tights, while they themselves don bathing costumes which look like abbreviated street frocks, or sports costumes. Suits of silks and satins embroidered and trimmed exactly like the frocks of this season form the dressy type of bathing suit while long-sleeved, tailored types with Eaton collars and cuffs follow the sports lines.

A typical costume of the better class is made of navy blue taffeta with batteau neckline, long bodice and short skirt which is made plain in front and rear with full, shirred side-panels. A bow or red ribbon being at the front neckline and terminates in long ends which are finished with red tassels. The tiny bloomers which are concealed beneath the skirt are red.

Black bathing suits with front panels of vividly colored embroidery and with a huge bow on one hip are favored by many shops. Little shoulder capes of self-material are smart and huge rubberized scarfs with flower patterns are numerous. Except for the shortness of the skirt, the bathing suit varies slightly from the street frock, having all the accessories of the street frock; cloche-shaped hat, vivid scarf, parasol vanity bag, etc.

Question of Material.

Among the materials which are popular this season are taffetas, satins, cretonnes, linens, ginghams, jerseys and flannel. Cretonne appliques are used on plain materials to form border effects. Printed cretonnes form entire bathing suits, and flannel favors the tailored mode, youthful types in little dress effects and flannel faors the tailored mode.

A popular long-sleeved black stain costume is made in tunic style, with the bloomers showing beneath the skirt. White satin collar and cuffs are used on this model and a row of white pearl buttons extend down the front of the tunic. Other black satin garments are made in long-waisted effect with three-tiered skirts.

Beach capes of striped flannel and cretonne of vivid colors are popular. The white flannel cape with a border of three contrasting colors of flannel at the hem is very pretty.

One particularly pretty model has stripes of black, orange, yellow and blue flannel stitched onto a white flannel cape.

Spanish Bathing Costume.

Following the mode for Spanish shawls we see an adapted Spanish bathing costume which is made of crepe with huge floral designs embroidered throughout and with a fringe about the hem of the skirt.

Many of the new bathing suits are very expensive, but most of them give us the idea that we can cut off the lower part of last Spring's frock and have a duplicate of these costly models.

Colored scarf's wound about the head are perhaps the most popular head-gear this season. The tight-fitting rubber cap is worn underneath this to keep the hair dry. One ties the scarf after the manner of the bandana, with a knot in front or with a knot at one side and with the ends hanging over the shoulder.

BIG DR MAJOR

All is not plain sailing in the new fashions. One can no longer be confident that an approaching creation on the avenue is a suit. For, on the wearer passing us, one perceives the all in one-ness of a coat. Or vice versa. And then, after we have been reduced to a pleasing state of bewilderment, it turns out that the costume is really a coat frock.

"It is quite a feature of this year," writes Henri Creange from Paris, "to see a coat frock looking like a straight gown at the back and like a tailor made with a short or long jacket in front, or the contrary. I even had the surprise the other day of seeing a mannikin taking off this already amazing garment to show a little dress underneath: it was an unexpected coat."

The costume of beige Krinal-krepe which has just been relayed to us from Cheney's Paris ateliers, shows all these ideas and, besides, the very novel one of opening suddenly a high fastened jacket to show a brilliant colored waist.

Even when the front of the jacket is demurely closed, as shown in the small sketch, a gay note is added to the costume by the chic plaid bows tied around the throat and wrists, for the chic Parisienne to-day is as beplaided as any Highland lassie.

Methods in the West

FORT COLLINS, Colo., July 3.—Belief that the millions of dollars spent on irrigation of arid lands of the West may accomplish no permanent good unless drastic measures are taken to enforce proper methods of distribution of water has been expressed by Dr. Charles A. Lory, president of Colorado Agricultural college.

"In some of the older irrigation districts," Dr. Lory said, "water has profoundly affected its character. It also has caused an increase in a bacterial flora which takes nitrogen from the air, giving an excess to the ground."

Nitrogen, Dr. Lory explained in proper quantities is beneficial to soil, but applied in excess, may sterilize it.

been found, Dr. Lory said. He pointed out that hundreds of thousands acres of reclaimed lands throughout the West have actually deteriorated from year to year and will eventually become worthless under present care.

Much of the Greeley potato region has become unfit for this crop, due to long years of irrigation, Dr. Lory said, and Rocky Ford cantaloupes, famous throughout the country for their quality, are being infested with disease, due to over-irrigation, Lory alleged.

Factors [illegible] region of Colorado and other western states may within a few generations again be the stamping ground of buffalo, antelope, coyotes and rattlesnakes, making their homes on deserted farm property.

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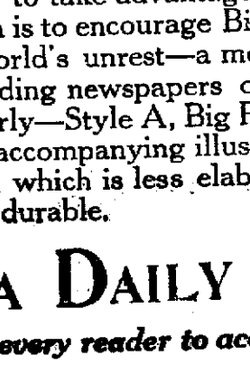

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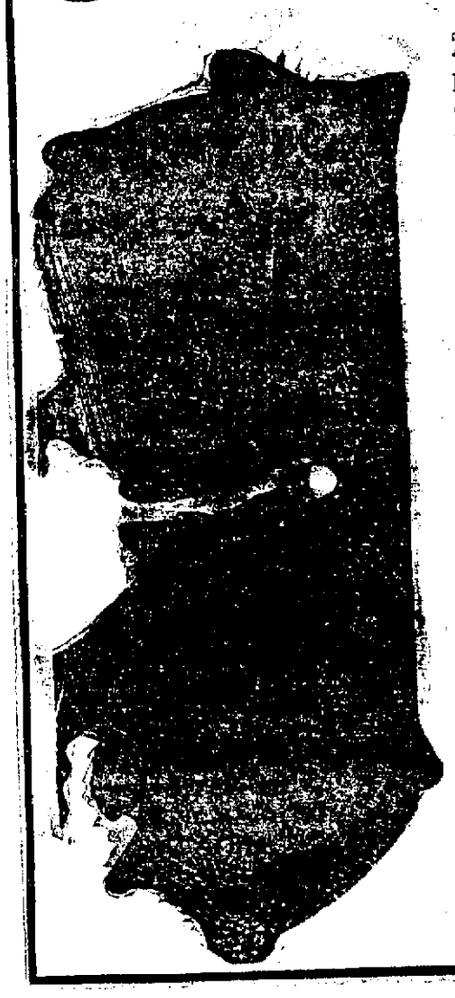

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It is to be hoped that the forty delegates from Texas will get back home in time to vote in the primary election the latter part of this month.

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The Lord is the portion of mine inheritance and of my cup: thou maintainest my lot. The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places: yea, I have a goodly heritage.—Psalm 16:5-6.

At last the Board of Regents succeeded in finding a man for the presidency of the University—a Texas man, too. Dr. Walter M. W. Splawn, one of the railroad commissioners, has been offered the place and has accepted.

Alva Bryan of Waco, who has just returned from the convention on account of sickness, says it is not so much Klan as it is booze that is deadlocking the convention. It is a fight between the drys and wets that mus tbe settled, and he thinks the contest may last a week or ten days longer.

Percy Noodles says that when he asked the capitalist's daughter what her folks would think if they heard he was sending telegrams to Mr. McAdoo she said they would think he was sending them "collect."—Snap Shots.

Better send them paid. Mc may be broke by this time.

Texas has too few officials who place the public interest above their own political fortunes to lose one when they have him. Clarence E. Gilmore, who is asking for a second term as Railroad Commissioner, is that kind of an official and should receive the votes of all Democrats who appreciate an earnest, honest public officer.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

NEW YORK AS CONVENTION HOST

Houston Post.

It is not an exaggeration to say the predicament in which the Democratic convention finds itself is due in part to the fact that it is being held in New York.

When the idea of holding the convention in the metropolis was first suggested, misgivings were expressed by many of the leaders of the party who insisted on working within the environs of loyalty that boasts of Wall street and Tammany and the millions of Hearst. Those who expressed these doubts were promptly ridiculed for their provincialism. Yet they had New York primed to boss, good.

The fact remains, however, that those who were most insistent on giving the convention to New York were the ones most prone to be the strongest backers of Governor Smith. That they believed the convention would have a better chance with the convention meeting in his home town there is no doubt. This could not be blamed for seeking that advantage for him, nor for using that advantage within the bounds of reason and decency.

With the convention assembled in New York and the demonstration practice programmed, the New York contingent of Governor Smith's forces have openly undertaken to overawe the convention into accepting Smith. The scenes during the Smith demonstration resulted from something more than mere local exuberance for the governor. The hired backers who stormed the hall without tickets, insulted adherents of other candidates, and attempted by noise and strong arm tactics to run away with the convention, were clearly attempting to put mob rule in control.

The attitude of the New Yorkers upon that occasion, as well as their packing of the galleries to boo and hiss delegations and speakers not friendly to Smith, have only served to strengthen the determination of the anti-Smith factions not to be browbeaten or stampeded by local rowdies who imagine that Smith can bring back to them their liquor. Scratch the surface of the enthusiasm for Smith and the label of bottled in bond will be apparent, and New York, or at least that part of it that sponsors Governor Smith, is ready to go to almost any length to restore John Barleycorn.

Likewise, had the convention been meeting elsewhere, and had the anti-Klan forces, which center in New York, been anywhere else except upon their home ground, the fight over the klan probably would have been less bitter, and the chance for a compromise would have been greater.

With two much burning issues before the convention, and the seat of the convention so violently partisan in its support of one side of those questions, and determined to have its way, it is not surprising that the other side becomes equally determined to fight back, with the resulting deadlock.

Under ordinary circumstances, New York would doubtless be a satisfactory city in which to hold the convention, but in such a situation as this, in which the controlling forces in New York city are desperately intent upon dictating the result, it is apparent that its meeting there is unfortunate.

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"You have the makings of a financier, Jane," laughed Aunt Emmy, "since you have sense enough to stop, look and listen before you buy. I like public utility bonds, too—that is, good ones. They are bonds issued by corporations that serve the public with something useful, hence the name, public utility. The gas company, the electric light and power company, the telephone and similar companies are public utility corporations. Their business is based on real public needs. But it is also essential that they be well managed to be a good investment.

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"How do you think one can know if a company is safe or not, Aunty?" asked Jane.

"Well, that is difficult. But I should say that if a company whose bonds you fancy has been doing a good business for ten years and has not [illegible] thing to [illegible] its own opinion [illegible] ker. Once you have bought [illegible] any corporation don't put them away and forget them. Seek your bank's advice from time to time and keep informed of the progress of the corporation you are interested in. If you see anything in the papers that alarms you in any way go at once to your bank and ask their advice about selling out and reinvesting in something else. Banks have facilities for keeping in touch with financial conditions, and they are always glad to help."—ANNE B. AYMES.

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It is true that we might exist without foreign trade, that we might depend exclusively upon domestic consumption. To do that, however, would require a complete reorganization of our whole commercial and industrial structure, a reorganization which would require years of time and which would entail losses beyond calculation. The more reasonable alternative is to take steps toward the restoration of a normal foreign market.—Walter W. Head, President American Bankers Association.

Weather Conditions Affect Business

DALLAS, Texas, July 3.—Adverse weather conditions and the menace of insects to growing crops had a marked effect on business conditions in this section during May, according to the monthly federal reserve bank review for the 11th district. Farmers have not only been greatly delayed in the planting of row crops but also have found it exceedingly difficult to obtain a good stand of cotton, the review states.

"Damage by insects to crops seems to be more serious than a year ago," according to the survey. "Offsetting this, however, is the fact that small grains promise a heavy yield."

Wholesale merchandising was retarded during the month and "conservatism and hand to mouth buying were the keynotes of trade reports."

A steady decline in the volume of charges to individual accounts and a similar decline in building activity is noted.

The district's failure record, however, showed satisfactory improvement.

Condition of the cotton crop was not very optimistic, the condition on May 25 being 66 percent, which with but two exceptions, is the lowest

benefited by the timely [illegible]

Petroleum production [illegible] slight decline in the daily output, under the May production total, the review notes.

Savings deposits show an increase in member banks of the district.

Freak Collector As Well as Freak Stamp

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 5.—Anyone who offers $2000 for a stamp is no piker. Max Mehl, curio collector offered that sum to Postmaster [illegible] for a sprint [illegible] value to curio collectors is around $2,500. The dis- [illegible] variety [illegible] dollar aristocrat.

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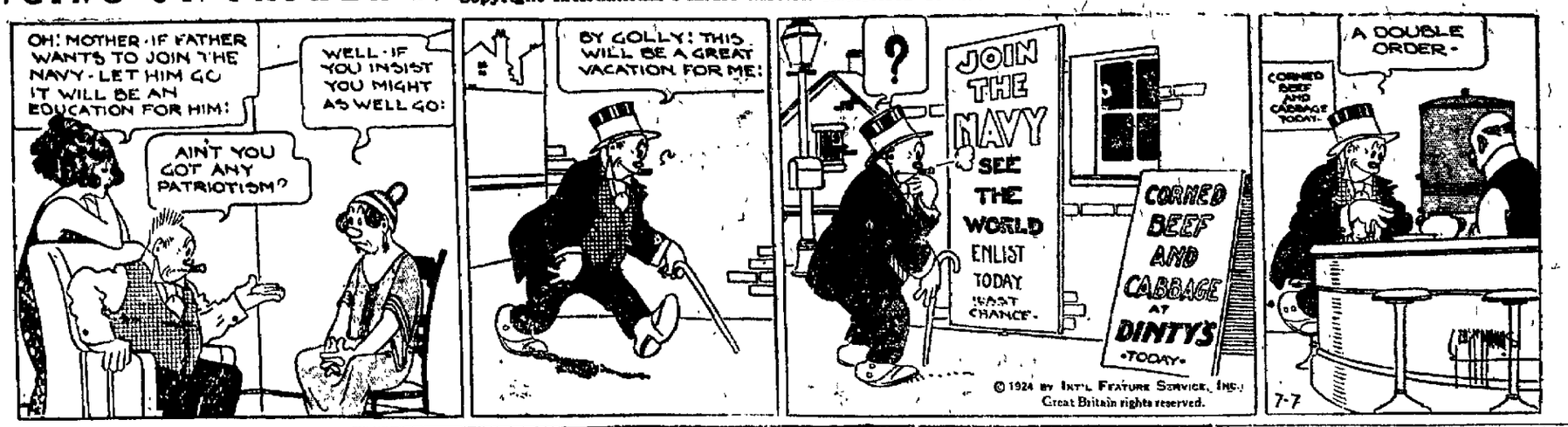
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CANDIDATES

Announcements

1924 ELECTIONS

LIMESTONE COUNTY

The following candidates for the offices named submit their names subject to the action or the Democratic primary election to be held in Limestone county on the 26th day of July, 1924:

For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)
For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS, (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
ROY H. STOKES, (re-election, second term.)
VIRGIL D. WOOD
For Constable, Precinct No. 4—
JOE P. FELZ
M. P WILLIS

H. & T. C.

EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.

North bound—

315	From cut-off	1:47 p. m
15	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:44 p. m
31	Dallas Ft. Worth	12:50 p. m
37	Dallas Ft. Worth	5:14 a. m
17	Dallas Ft. Worth	4:35 a. m.
19	Dallas Ft. Worth	3:55 a. m.

South bound—

346	To cut-off	7:00 a. m.
16	Houston San Antonio	11:45 a. m.
32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
38	Austin San nAtonio	12:21 a. m.
18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
36	Houston San Antonio	12:16 a. m.

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North.

No. 8—3:25 p. m.

South.

No. 7—12:55 p. m.

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NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presidng officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"? and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing af a charter, commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHERAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public intrests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben. F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
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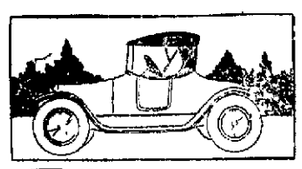

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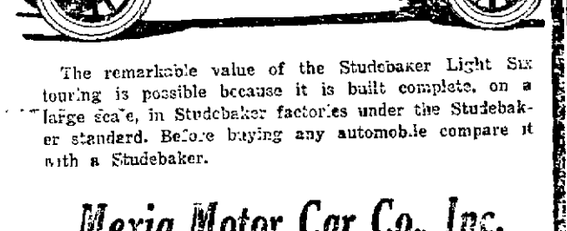

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Conferences Fail To Solve Problem

By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, July 7.—William G. McAdoo has elected to fight the field alone at the Democratic national convention.

Backed into a corner by the strategy of the combined forces of Governor Al Smith and all the "dark horses," McAdoo is staking everything on his personal "battalion of death," whose loyalty in maintaining his veto power will be tested today.

When the convention began the third week of its deliberations this morning there were two proposals before the delegates representing the net results of the week-end adjournment taken Saturday afternoon to enable representatives of the various candidates to develop a plan for breaking the deadlock.

One of these plans was drafted at a meeting of the little entente—representatives of candidates whose vote always has trailed that of McAdoo. It provided that all delegates should be and hereafter are released from all pledges and instructions as to whom they should support for the nomination. It was signed by all the candidates except McAdoo. The other proposal was drafted by Mr. McAdoo himself who, believing that the release of the delegates in itself would not solve the deadlock, suggested:

1. That the unit rule be abrogated, thereby releasing all delegates to vote as they choose.

2. That the majority rule be substituted for the two-thirds rule, enabling a candidate to be nominated by a bare margin of those voting.

3. That after each ballot beginning today, the candidate receiving the lowest vote should eb dropped from lowest roll until a nomination is made.

4. That each delegate present shall be able to vote his prorata of the delegates who have gone home.

These two plans emerged from the conferences of candidates' representatives which started Saturday evening, were resumed Sunday afternoon and concluded early today.

Saturday night's conference soon developed that McAdoo's contention: I have the most delegates of any candidate: why should I withdraw?" precluded the possibility of selecting a compromise ticket.

Thereafter all thought was concentrated on a course of procedure that would break the deadlock and the procedure had as its first objective elimination of McAdoo. To this end the "dark horse" representatives met yesterday afternoon and drafted the resolution calling on all candidates to release their pledge delegates. This was signed by everyone, headed by Al Smith and then presented to McAdoo. It was a clever move and placed him in an embarrissing predicament. If he released delegates held to him under the unit rule or other pledges his losses might have been such as to have a psychological reaction on the convention distinctly detrimental to his cause. If he refused the proposal he would be as he no wis, accused by his opponents of blocking efforts to end the deadlock.

The harmony conferees then had two questions before them and realizing they could not make an unanimous report on either, decided to submit both to the convention in the form of a report.

Meantime, the delegates of all candidates save McAdoo were free to vote as they chose beginning with the first ballot today. There is no action of the convention itself that can force a change in the voting procedure of McAdoo's delegates. So, with the opening of the seventeenth session and the calling of the 78th roll, the situation was precisely as it was Saturday with the single exception that delegates voting for Al Smith and the favorite sons don't have to continue do so if they don't wish to. Most of them are expected to cast their votes exactly as they have heretofore.

MURDER OF DEPUTY STIRS ALL ITALY.

COMMENDATORE FILIPPELLI UNDER ARREST, DEPUTY MATTEOTTI PREMIER MUSSOLINI & COMMENDATORE CAESAR ROSSI (Below) MATTEOTTI HOME

Despite rigid censorship, it is leaking out that all Italy is in an uproar over the kidnaping of Deputy Giacomo Matteotti, multi-millionaire Socialist, who was slain by members of the Fascisti while on his way to Parliament in Rome to expose corruption in the Mussolini Cabinet. The automobile standing before Matteotti's mansion is on the exact spot where the kidnapers bundled him into their car and fled. Commendatore Caesar Rossi, chief of Premier Mussolini's press bureau, is charged with giving orders to have Matteotti killed. Commendatore Filippelli, prominent member of the Fascisti, is also under arrest for participation in the murder.

Misses Corinne and Elsie Desenberg and Mrs. Julius Desenberg left today for a two months visit to the city of Chicago and other places of the north.

Every United States weather bureau station in the Continental United States except that at Key West, Fla., has at sometime or other experienced a killing frost.

It's useless to extract a promise by force unless you are prepared to keep up the pressure of compulsion indefinitely.

Prim Prest.

Too Late to Classify

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished two room apartment. Hot and cold water. Close in and on the pavement. See Mrs. Mayo at Mrs. Everetts' Ready-to-Wear or apply at 502 East Main. 7L2

LITTLE TEXAS APARTMENTS—Strictly modern; two and three room apartments. Everything furnished "for people who care." 312 North Sherman street. Phone 528. 7L30

FOR SALE—Registered toy Boston terriers. Male and female. 11 months old. Best of stock. See them at 401 East Palestine. 7J1

LETTERS From the People

ABOUT THE CHARTER

What I have in mind is to answer the Hon. E. Watson's letter in Sunday's issue, July 6th, 1924. You say several people have asked you about the new charter, and you proceed to try to explain why you or somebody else should continue as mayor. I am going to try to tell you why the mayor business is a dismal failure. If you would look around a little and consentrate your mind and your brain on a few of the needs of Mexia possibly there would not be so much agitation of City Government as it now exists. Do you know it is your business to lead? Now let's see what you could do.

If you will travel over the road to the oil field three or four times a day and then move out toward the cemetery or take your pleasure rides out that way. You would get up a meeting and let every business man subscribe a small sum. You get out in your working clothes and tell J. K. Hughes, Ben Smith, Dave Murphy, Sweatt, to crack down or give three days work themselves. Leaders is what we want. You rustle out your bunch of boys on city pay roll. Stop playing dominos long enought to give some real service to city, we would not hear so much of city government talk. Now I don't want to knock on dominos. I wrote a book on 42 but just a word from me, "There is a time for all things." I have no city vote. If I had I would vote for you possibly, but I would get in behind you and make you do something as my experience is clear is what you have to do to get anything out of a politician.

If you say you have not got road equipment borrow Commissioner Kennedy's outfit at night—get electric lights folks to light up. Call on your Lion club and Rotary boys too, to quit eating and talking so much and get on their overalls and lets do something. I don't care for publicity. But if you want some work done, I will give three whole working days to the project. Make a road to what made Mexia and a street to our cemetery where our loved ones are buried.

I am for Mexia first, last and all the time.

P. J. BANNER.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Huchingson spent the 4th in Waco.

Mrs. H. C. Maxwell has returned home from a three weeks visit in Marshall.

Mrs. Lamar Campbell of Shreveport, La., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Forrest and family from LeLeon, Texas, are visiting their mother Mrs. F. E. Forrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gray from Terrell spent the Fourth of July with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, leaving Saturday morning for Galveston for a several weeks visit.

Prim Prest.

OFF ON AUTO TRIP TO THE SOUTHWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Lewis, living at the Reunion Grounds, accompanied by Jim Comfort and family of Corsicana, left Monday in their cars for a trip through Southwest Texas, to be gone about two weeks. They will visit Austin, Kerrville, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and any other attractive place along the route.

EASTERN STAR REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star tonight at 8 o'clock. All officers are urged to be present promptly, and members are also expected. Visitors are always welcome.

MRS. OSCAR DENNING, W. M.

NOTICE.

Ira Lawley, candidate for County Attorney will address the citizens of Mexia Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. upon the streets, and will discuss the record made by the present County Attorney. Will divide time with my opponent and invite him to be present. (Adv. 1t)

Fred S. Karner has returned from a tour of the eastern states, and will remain at home for a few weeks before going to Colorado to spend the remainder of the summer with Colonel Humphreys.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To those concerned I wish to state that four diamond rings instead of three were sold at $1.00 each last Saturday at my "Put and Take Sale."

The $100.00 ring was bought by Mrs. McMillian, Mexia; the $75.00 ring by Mrs. Harlow of Brownwood, visiting her son Pete Mays of this city; the $35.00 ring went to Mr. Prewitt and the other ring to Miss Cora Oliphant, assistant secretary of Chamber of Commerce. The phonograph was bought by Miss Bobbie Lind of Mexia. The 40 piece set of silver by Mrs. Smith of Karner & Phillpis, and the 42 piece set of china by Mrs. William Goar, of Wortham, Texas.

I desire to thank all who attended this sale most heartily for their cooperation in making it a success.

L. S. PATTERSON,
(Adv.) Patterson Jewelry Co.

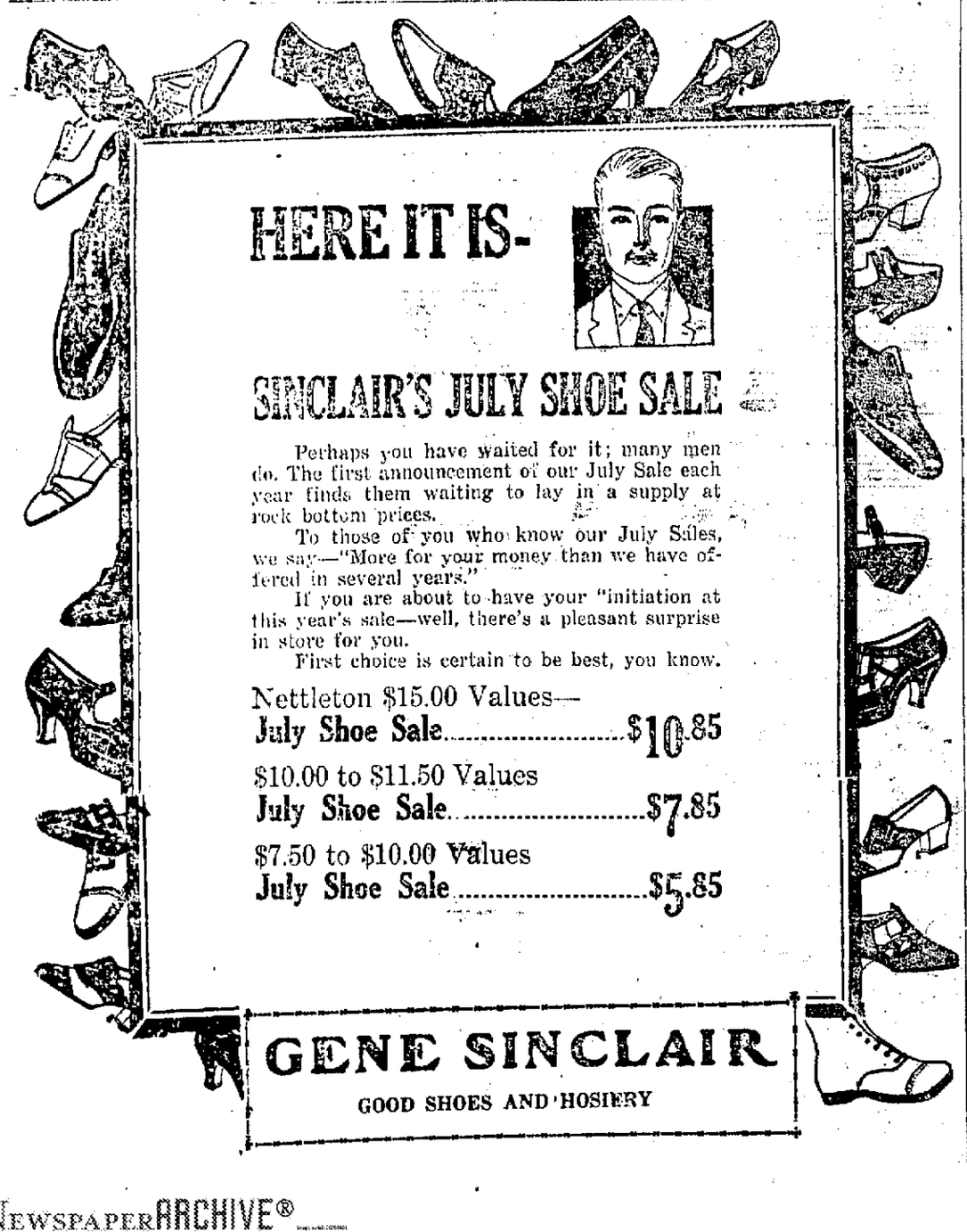
Prim Prest.

August COSMOPOLITAN MAGAZINE On Sale Today PIONEER NEWS STAND

DIAMOND JEWELRY CO.
"Mexia's Leading Jewelry Store"
Inaugurates a New Epoch in the Merchandising of the Better Quality
DIAMONDS
Watches - Silverware and Jewelry
With the Introduction of a Helpful
CLUB PLAN
—which without interference with our established cash clientele permits those of more moderate means but of equally fine discernment to buy on—
Extended Charge Accounts
You are cordially invited to authorize us to issue you a permanent charge slip. Come in and let us explain the simplicity and convenience of our CLUB PLAN.
You may now possess the precious articles you have long desired to own—and buy them on such easy terms that their cost is hardly noticeable.
DIAMOND JEWELRY CO.
103 SOUTH SHERMAN STREET
"Largest Stock of Jewelry in Limestone County"

THE EMPTY SHIRT BOXES IN OUR BACK ROOM TELL WHAT'S GOING ON UP FRONT!

The man who takes away our empty boxes has asked for a raise—
"I don't know what comes in these red boxes," he said, "but I think a raise is coming to me for carrying away so many each week."
Good material for an advertisement here.
Our Van Heusen Shirts come in those red boxes and the men of Mexia come for the Shirts.
We carry out armfuls of empties every night while our customers are carrying home the cleanest, coolest, most attractive men's shirts that ever wore a button.
Lots of new collar attached shirts ready this morning—
$1.50 to $4.50
THE BOSTON STORE
"Buy It Here for Less"



HERE IT IS-

SINCLAIR'S JULY SHOE SALE

Perhaps you have waited for it; many men do. The first announcement of our July Sale each year finds them waiting to lay in a supply at rock bottom prices.
To those of you who know our July Sales, we say—"More for your money than we have offered in several years."
If you are about to have your "initiation at this year's sale—well, there's a pleasant surprise in store for you.
First choice is certain to be best, you know.

Nettleton $15.00 Values—
July Shoe Sale.....$10.85
$10.00 to $11.50 Values
July Shoe Sale.....$7.85
$7.50 to $10.00 Values
July Shoe Sale.....$5.85

GENE SINCLAIR
GOOD SHOES AND HOSIERY

OUR JULY CLEARANCE SALE OPENED MONDAY JULY 7TH

AND IS IN FULL SWING!

Through an error the opening date appeared in our Sunday's ad as Wednesday, July 9th.

HIGDON-McELROY COMPANY
103 COMMERCE STREET

BIG July Clearance SALE IS NOW ON

—We're Too Busy to Write Ads. Come, See for Yourself.

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WIDE OPEN SPLIT IN PARTY NOW IMMINENT

MAN KILLED IN FALL FROM HIGH LINE WORK

John Carlyle, white man, working for the Fred E. Jones Construction Company, building the high power line for the Central Texac Light and Power Company, died Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from injuries received when he fell from the sub station structure at Springfield, about 10:30 a. m.

It is not known just how the accident happened, except that he fell from the structure where he was at work, and was immediately rushed to the hospital at Groesbeck, where he died after recovering from the electric shock. It is supposed that he must have been hurt internally by the fall of twenty-five feet.

The body was shipped to some point near San Antonio where deceased lived. He is survived by his wife and two children who had been visiting him since the 4th and who were at his bedside when death relieved his suffering.

An Ideal Summer Home In The City

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 7.—H. F. Harris has probably the most unusual summer home in Texas. It is on the second floor of a condemned school house in the seventh ward, and it's cool.

Harris, who is a repair man for the public schools decided his own home would be too hot and stuffy during the summer months. So he and his family moved into the old building which is more than 30 years old.

The fact that the building has been condemned as a school house doesn't worry Harris nor his family. Plenty of windows in his new home to catch all of the breeze, he says. And then the children enjoyed it. They can draw pictures on the black boards and slide down the long banisters.

SOCIALISTS TO SUPPORT ROBT. M. LA FOLLETTE

CLEVELAND, July 7.—Senator La Follette's candidacy will be endorsed by the National Socialist party in convention here at its opening session today. Three hundred delegates are on hand.

CARRIED OUT THREAT

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—A. McNeese heard over the telephone the shot that killed his friend F. S. McGlothin. McNeese answered the phone and McGlothin told him he was going to kill himself. "Mac don't do that" McNeese began, and then he heard the shot. Hurrying to McGlothin's home, McNeese found his friend dead on the floor beside the telephone.

HEIRS WANT IT ALL

EL PASO, Texas, July 7, 1924.—About 900 Southern Methodist ministers are made parties in the suit of Wm. S. Atherton against the First National bank, executor of the late Atherton's estate here. Terms of his will left about $9000 to aged Methodist minister. His heirs are contesting the will which would give each of the ministers about $10.

ON THE JOB AGAIN

WASHINGTON, July 7.—C. Bascom Slemp, President Coolidge's secretary, returned to his desk after a three week's vacation. Mr. Slemp dispelled rumors that he had quit permanently because of a disagreement with Wm. M. Butler, chairman of the republican national committee, over the management of the republican convention.

NEW USE FOR INJUNCTION

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—Cruz Lozano, pretty Mexican girl, has been granted an injunction restraining her suitor, George Charo, from "annoying and talking love" to her. Miss Lozano complained to the court that Charo's persistent wooing was a source of annoyance to her.

HIGH FLYERS FLY TOO LOW

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 7.—Mrs. Duff Ford has protested to Kelly field officers about airplanes flying low over her house. The shadows made by the ships frighten her flock of chickens, Mrs. Ford complains.

FRANK ROOSEVELT IS OUTSTANDING FIGURE IN BIG CONVENTION

By FRAZER EDWARDS
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

U. P. HEADQUARTERS, Waldorf Hotel, New York, July 7.—No matter whether his candidate—Governor Al Smith of New York—wins or loses, Franklin D. Roosevelt stands out as the real hero of the Democratic convention of 1924.

Adversity has lifted him about the bickering, the religious bigotry, conflicting personal ambitions and petty sectional prejudices.

It has made him the one leader commanding the respect and admiration of delegates from all sections of the land.

Stricken two years ago at the zenith of his career with infantile paralysis, Roosevelt refused to concede the defeat that a weaker man would have accepted as fate. He merely smiled and fought back. It was a genuine smile with the gameness of generations of American blood and breeding behind it.

From a lithe, able figure, standing 6 feet 2, and tipping the beam at 190, with the head of a Greek God, he had become half a man physically. That handsome head—with a new expression—that magnificent torso, were still his, but the long, straight, sturdy legs that carried him so nonchalantly through street parades in the disastrous Democratic campaign of 1920, were gone. They have shriveled to mere shanks and only by the aid of steel braces and crutches can he walk.

But the determination that knows no defeat has won him back a long way on the road to recovery. And despite his infirmity he took charge of Governor Smith's campaign. Those who have watched him in the convention and at conferences of leaders know why Al Smith picked Roosevelt to guide his political destiny. His wise and aggressive campaign has fired the admiration of all but his own conduct has been the real marvel of the convention.

Roosevelt might be a pathetic, tragic figure, but for the fine courage that flashes in his smile. It holds observers enchanted. They forget the tortured progress that he makes on crutches, dragging his legs as he makes his way down to the aisle of the convention hall. That smile holds a spiritual grace that it lacked when Roosevelt was assistant secretary of the navy. Then he appeared to revel in abundant good health and magnificent manhood. Even the responsibilities of Democratic vice presidential nomination failed to give the present touch.

It was not merely sympathy for a big man crippled that caused the great throng in Madison Square Garden to give Roosevelt that only real spontaneous ovation yet accorded any candidate or leader. It was more than the courage that glows in the handsome face. The crowd caught the spirit beneath.

Al Smith, idol of New Yorkers, has been denied the privilege of appearing in person before the convention, but it is doubtful if he or William G. McAdoo, could awaken, even among his "crusaders" the depth of feeling touched by the gallant Roosevelt. Pat Harrison, of Mississippi, with all his personality, George Brennan, with all his power, Tom Taggart, with all his party service, Cordell Hull, with all his sincerity—none has brought the Garden crowd to its feet in the burst of frenzied cheers that greets Roosevelt.

Even if the nomination were tendered him, even if his doctors, who say he will be restored fully to health would permit, he would not accept it, but the delegates to this convention, if permitted to break the deadlock in their own way would undoubtedly vote for Franklin Roosevelt, with the red badge of courage pinned to his breast.

FIRE ON SOUTH McKINNEY TODAY

The home of C. A. Carter on south McKinney street, two doors this side of ball park, was completely destroyed by fire Monday morning at 10:35 o'clock. Mrs. Carter was at work in the back yard when the fire was discovered, and was able to save only one trunk. The house and contents were ruined by fire and water, the origin is unknown. The home was insured for $1,000 and contents $1,000.

THE WEATHER

East Texas—Tonight and Tuesday fair; warmer tonight in northeast.

West Texas—Tonight and Tuesday partly cloudy; probably showers in Panhandle.

New Mexico Will Hang Woman.

MRS. KATHRYN HALSEY

Mrs. Kathren Hulsey, of Hope, N. M., will be hanged for the murder of her husband, Fred Hulsey, wealthy cattleman. Her two male accomplices, who actually committed the murder—Luther Foster and Claude B. Archer—will be hanged with her.

Bare Fighting Chance For Young Coolidge

WASHINGTON, July 7—The President of the United States prayed today at the bedside of his younger son.

Only a little better than a fighting chance for life remained for Calvin Coolidge, Jr., doctors agreed at 9 o'clock.

Not as the Nation's chief executive, but as a father, knowing in full measure a father's grief, just as it comes to the humblest in the land—Mr. Coolidge brought the simple, rugged New England faith of his ancestors to ask that his son be spared.

With the President was Mrs. Coolidge nearly worn out with anxiety and sorrow for the son she loves and whom the finest surgeons of Washington are almost powerless to aid.

Duties of the White House, all thoughts of coming party strife, have been laid aside for the moment. The Coolidges, as any other father and mother would, watched at the bedside where a spark of life still flickered feebly this morning. Their boy was unconscious of their presence.

In every corner of the land, fathers and mothers of the Nation sorrowed with them. Twice Sunday, encouraged by optimistic reports from six physicians who are fighting the septic poison that is sapping 16-year-old Calvin's vitality, the President turned to thoughts of his office, only to hurry again to the Walter Reed hospital as sinking spells sapped the boy's vitality.

Finally the Coolidges remained all night at the hospital, most of the time at their son's bedside.

"A bare fighting chance," was all the doctors held out.

Later—Hope is held out for the recovery of young Coolidge after he passed through a severe crisis and hung tenaciously to life. The doctors had given him only one chance in ten thousand to survive the crisis but the boy is making a game fight for life.

DOHENY MOVES TO QUASH INDICTMENTS

WASHINGTON, July 7.—E. L. Doheny and son filed motions in the District of Columbia Supreme Court to quash the indictments against them by a special oil grand jury. They contend that the indictments are invalid because a Department of Justice official was in the grand jury room when the testimony was taken.

WHAT STOPPED THE CLOCKS

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, July 7.—When wire trouble caused all Western Union clocks in the city to stop at 9 o'clock, the report spread quickly that the Democratic deadlock had been broken. Many persons thought the president had died. By noon, the clocks were running again.

HALF MILLION BUSHELS WHEAT

CHILDRESS, Texas, July 7.—The wheat crop in this section will total 500,000 bushels, according to predictions made by leading grain men. The yield is from 16 to 30 bushels an acre.

AMERICANS IN PERSIA

CALCUTTA, July 7.—The American squadron flying around the world left Karachi today for Charbar, Persia.

SECTION BRAZIL'S ARMY REBELS SATURDAY

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, July 6.—(Delayed)—A section of the army of the State Sao Paulo rebelled against its officers early Saturday seized public buildings and caused considerable excitement before order was restored by Federal troops over Saturday and today.

The movement apparently started because of dissatisfaction in the ranks of the decision of the Soa Paulo State government to renew its contract for a French military mission, which has been instructing and reorganizing the State's military forces for the last three years.

Troops in several barracks gathered quietly in the early hours of the morning, seized a number of their officers and started a parley with the State Government.

The officers, backed by Governor Carlos de Campos and the Federal garrison refused to yield to the rebels' demands and there was some street fighting Saturday. A dispatch to the government organ, Jornal do Commercio, here today says the insurrection has been subjugated.

The Federal Government, however, has declared martial law in the Federal district (Rio de Janeiro and environs) the State of Rio de Janeiro and the State of Sao Paulo.

Rail communications between Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo City, the second city of the Republic and center of Brazil's great coffee industry, has taken over by the military and public traffic prohibited. The military also has assumed control of telephone and telegraphic communications.

PENNSYLVANIA OIL REDUCED TO $3; ALSO OTHER GRADES

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 7.—Pennsylvania crude oil was cut to $3 per barrel, the second cut in two months. Other grades were reduced from 10 to 50 cents.

McLAREN IN JAPAN

TOKIO, July 7.—The British around the world airplane piloted by Major Stuart MacLaren left Kushimo today. Dispatches here did not give the destination of the plane.

TODAY'S CONVENTION PROGRAM

Invocation.

Presentation of reports by committee seeking to end deadlock.

Balloting on reports.

Resumption of balloting for presidential nominee.

Jim Democrat Stanch McAdoo Boomer.

JIM DEMOCRAT

Jim Democrat, 80 years old, of Aalanta, Ga., who ran for the doctor the night William Gibbs McAdoo was born in Marietta, Ga., attended the Democratic National Convention as the guest of the Georgia delegation, stopping in a luxurious hotel suite. Jim never attended school, but reads and writes fluently, and has educated his children highly.

Nelson Will Manage La Follette Campaign.

JOHN M. NELSON

Representative John M. Nelson, of Wisconsin, insurgent leader in the House of Representatives, has been seelcted to manage the independent Presidential compaign of U. S. Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, whose hat is definitely in the ring.

Americans Fighting For Olympic Honors

By HENRY L. FARRELL
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

COLUMBUS STADIUM, Paris, July 7.—Trailing Finland and Sweden at the end of the first day's contests, America's Olympic track and field Athletes set out today to reverse the standing.

The point score after two events had been decided Sunday, stood:

Finland 30, Sweden 11, United States 6.

The United States failed to place a man in the 10,000-meter run which was taken by Willie Ritalo, an American trained Finn in world's record time. Verne Booth, U. S. A., was the first American home and he finished no better than twelfth.

Finland won 17 points in this event.

Ritola ran one of the greatest races in the history of modern Olympiads, and did not even know the race was over when he crossed the line. He was setting out strongly on an extra lap when officials caught him.

The javelin throw was the other final event contested yesterday. This was won by Myrra, the powerful Finn. Eugene Oberst of Notre Dame took third, providing four points for the United States while William Neufeldt of the University of California was fifth, accounting for two more points. This showing was better than had been expected.

All four Americans entered in the 100-meters qualified—Loren Murchison, Chet Bowman, Jackson V. Scholz and Charley Paddock.

Three—Charley Brookins, G. C. Taylor and Ivan Riley—qualified in the 400-meters hurdles, C. F. Coulter, having the misfortune to fall at the first hurdle.

Leroy T. Brown, T. M. Osborn and Tom Poor qualified in the high jump, while all our entries, Bill Richardson, S. C. Enck, "Soapy Watters" and Ray Dodge, made the grade in the 800-meters.

The track yesterday was slow, soaked by a heavy downpour but the running of the Americans in the trials was impressive.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Yesetrday's hero: Jimmy Ring. The veteran Phillies pitcher shut out the Giants for their first defeat of this sort this season. The Giants and Phillies divided a Sunday bill, New York taking the first, 5 to 1, and dropping the second, 2 to 0.

The Yanks made four runs in the ninth and beat Washington, 7 to 4. Ruth got hs 22nd homer and two doubles.

Brilliant fielding by Pittsburgh, especially difficult chances accepted by Traynor, helped the Pirates beat the Reds, 9 to 2.

Danforth gave Detroit but three hits and the Browns won the final game of the series, 5 to 1.

In a hard hitting contest, the White Sox emerged victors over the Indians, 9 to 6.

The Cardinals made sixteen hits and beat the Cubs, 13 to 4.

Brooklyn and the Braves divided a doubt-header, the Braves winning the first, 4 to 1, and the Dodges getting the second, 5 to 0.

RUMORED ASSAULT AT WINKLER IN FREESTONE COUNTY

rumor reached Mexia Monday morning that bloodhounds were wanted at Winkler. Freestone county to trail a man supposed to be a negro for attempting to assault the 14 year old daughter of Jim Haggard.

The father had gone off to look for some hands and his little daughter went out on the back porch sometime during Sunday night, and was heard to scream. The screams awakened her mother and she went to her assistance, but the man who had made the attack had fled.

A phone message was received here during the night by Mrs. T. A. Kindred asking the whereabouts of her son, in order to send after the dogs with his airplane.

It was learned here during the morning that dogs had been secured from Fort Worth and would be put on trail as soon as they could be transported to the scene of the attack, which is about ten miles from Streetman in Freestone county.

Nothing further had been heard at the time of going to press.

BOMB WRECKS SUGAR HOUSE

DETROIT, Mich., July 7.—Three persons were injured—one of them fatally—when a bomb explosion wrecked a wholesale sugar house herecarly today.

This Snake Was Living On Eggs

MARLIN, Texas, July 7.—When Arthur Jackson heard a commotion in his chicken yard during the night he rushed out to find an enormous snake gulping down a setting of eggs.

On killing the reptile Jackson found it to measure six feet five inches in length and seven inches in circumference. The snake could have held another two dozen eggs easily, Jackson believed.

COUNTY ATTORNEY WORKING ON WAR MEMORIAL MEASURE

Charles Theobald, county attorney, is working on a proposed legislative bill for the Galveston War Memorial Association that will authorize the cities and counties of Texas to expend money out of their general fund or assist any order seeking the erection of any memorial, it was announced after a meeting of the association recently.

The legislature may from time to time make appropriations for preserving memorials to the history of Texas by means of monuments, statues, paintings and doucments of historical value, according to the provisions of the bill. It will not apply to bond issues or tax levies.

A copy of the proposed bill will be put into the hands of all members of the legislature at the January session. A letter requesting various lodges and organizations to contribute a small sum to finance the campaign for the new law will be sent out from Galveston, it was announced.

A committee consisting of J. U. Smith, J. M. Burke and P. W. Collerain was appointed to draw up a letter of condolence for the late A. T. Webster, former member of the central committee.

MEXIA BANK DEPOSITS THREE AND HALF MILLION

According to the bank statements just published the three Mexia banks have deposits totalling $3,511,818.47. And this in face of the fact that the oil boom is almost forgotten history. It shows that Mexia is a substantial city of progressive people, and will always be such a city.

ODD FELLOWS DISTRICT MEETING AT TEAGUE

The Odd Fellows of this section will hold a district meeting at Teague Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, with the grand master present as the principal speaker. Tuesday night the Initiatory degree will be put on by a specially organized team and there is a treat in store for all who attend. All Odd Fellows are invited.

CHARTER ELECTION GETTING GOOD VOTE

At 3:15 this afternoon there had been polled 420 votes in the charter election, and as the polls will remain open until 7 p. m., the vote will probably go over 600, which is a good vote in Mexia for anything except a general primary election.

TEXAS DELEGATES PROPOSE TO ADJOURN TWO WEEKS

NEW YORK, July 7.—Possibilities of a wide open split in the Democratic party, which would result in the adjournment of the session here, followed by two separate conventions, one for McAdoo and one for Smith, began to appear as the balloting was resumed.

The convention voted down the peace agreement signed by all candidates except McAdoo.

Texas delegates will propose that the convention adjourn to meet two weeks hence.

No material change in the voting and the deadlock remains hard and fast.

78th Ballot—
McAdoo 511
Smith 363 1-2
Davis 73 1-2

79th Ballot—
McAdoo 507 1-2
Smith 365 1-2
Davis 73

The convention unanimously approved a resolution extending sympathy to President Coolidge and wife and expressing hope for the recovery of their son.

James M. Cox arrived today and hoped that he may contribute something to breaking the deadlock.

80th Ballot —
McAdoo 454 1-2
Smith 366 1-2
Glass 68
Davis 75 1-2

81st Ballot—
McAdoo 432
Smith 365
Davis 71
Glass 73
Glass 73

82nd Ballot—
McAdoo 412 1-2
Smith 366
Davis 73
Glass 75

By an overwhelming vote the convention adopted the peace committee proposal that all delegates be released to vote as they please. This was a crushing blow to McAdoo.

Adjourned to 8:30 p. m.

The convention adjourned after the 83rd ballot until 8:30 tonight.

83rd Ballot—
McAdoo 418
Smith 368
Others scattering.

UNIT RULE BROKEN WITH LITTLE CHANGE

Special to Daily News

NEW YORK, July 7, 3 p. m.—At the end of the 82nd ballot no change since last week's balloting: McAdoo 413 1-2, Smith 366.

The unit rule was broken for uninstructed delegations with little change.

—A. Garland Adair.

Dr. Fred Cook Is A Real Pauper

FORT WORTH, Texas, July 7.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook will take the pauper's oath and make appeal from his 14 year sentence and fine of $12,600 following his trial for misusing the mails, before a special session of court in Atlanta, Ga., July 7. This will be Dr. Cook's last resort of appeal. His petition states that he is not financially able to have the court proceedings printed and that if such form of appeal is required, asks that the government be liable for the expense incurred.

AND THERE ARE OTHER KINDS OF FOOLISHNESS

GAINESVILLE, Texas, July 7.—Ambitious youngsters who have equipped their automobiles with homemade horns that give out a sound like the bawling of a cow, must stop squawking the contraptions on the streets, the city council has ruled. The "city dads" are tired of the foolishness, they say.

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH IS DISCOVERED

AMARILLO, Texas, July 7.—The fountain of youth that Ponce de Leon sought is to be found on any golf course if we are to take the word of Former Governor Barrows of Arizona a recent visitor here. The former governor is 75 years old, straight as an arrow and offered to bet he could cutrun any man in the city. He gives credit to golf for his physical condition.

BASEBALL CALENDAR

TEXAS ASSOCIATION

Yesterday's Results.

Mexia 9, Corsicana 5.
Marlin 8, Waco 0.
Austin 9, Temple 2.

Standing of Clubs.

Clubs—	P	W	L	Pct
Corsicana	13	9	4	.692
Waco	12	8	4	.667
Marlin	13	8	5	.615
Austin	13	6	7	.462
Mexia	12	5	7	.417
Temple	13	2	11	.154

Where They Play Today:

Mexia at Temple.
Waco at Corsicana.
Austin at Marlin.

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CROCKETT FAILS TO STOP GUSHERS

Mexia continued its heavy hitting and led by home runs by Geppert and Williamson knocked Crockett out of the box in three innings.

Corsicana—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Etheridge l f	5	0	1	1	0	0
Grubb 3 b	3	0	0	0	1	0
Thornton 1 b	4	1	0	7	0	0
Brown s f	4	1	2	1	0	0
Barrett r f	4	1	3	1	0	0
Hamilton 2 b	4	1	1	4	4	0
Sain s s	3	0	1	2	2	0
Vann c	3	0	0	8	0	0
Crockett p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hollis	1	0	0	0	0	0
Arguijo p	2	1	1	0	2	0
Total	34	5	9	24	8	0
Mexia—						
Geppert s s	5	1	3	2	4	0
Butler l f	5	1	1	3	0	0
Bryan c f	5	0	1	1	0	0
Seely r f	4	2	2	1	0	0
Jones 3 b	4	3	3	1	3	0
Leedy 2 b	3	0	3	3	3	0
Dean 1 b	3	1	0	9	1	0
Williamson c	4	1	1	7	0	0
Coleman p	4	0	1	0	2	0
Total	37	9	15	27	13	0

Hollis batted for Vann in ninth.

Corsicana 020 010 020—5
Mexia 022 230 00*—9

Home runs—Geppert, Williamson. Three-base hit—Hamilton. Two-base hits—Etheridge, Sain, Butler, Bryan, Seely, Jones 2, Leedy 2. Stolen base—Brown. Struck out—By Crockett 2, Arguijo 5, Coleman 6. Bases on balls—Off Coleman 1. Pitchers' records—Off Crockett 10 hits, 6 runs in 2 2-3 innings. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes. Umpire—Stone.

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MARLIN 8, WACO 0.

WACO, Texas, July 7.—Glaring errors by Caffey early in the game paved the way for Marlin's easy victory over Waco.

Waco—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Kelly l f	4	0	1	1	0	1
Strickland 2 b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Lewis s s	4	0	1	1	5	0
Caffey c f	3	0	2	4	0	3
Hall 3 b	4	0	2	0	2	0
Shires 1 b	2	0	1	12	2	0
Humphreys c	4	0	1	4	1	1
Williams r f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Hill p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Ragan p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Provence	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	33	0	9	27	15	5
Marlin—						
Craig c f	5	1	2	1	0	0
White 3 b	4	1	2	0	2	0
Greer l f	4	0	1	0	0	0
Alexander 2 b	4	2	1	2	3	0
Munson r f	5	2	2	3	0	0
Pipkin 1 b	5	2	2	12	3	0
Rawlins s s	4	0	2	2	2	0
Covington c	3	0	1	6	1	0
Vick p	4	0	0	1	4	0
Total	38	8	13	27	15	0

Provence batted for Ragan in ninth.

Marlin 011 110 100—8
Waco 000 000 000—0

Home runs—White, Pipkin, Craig, Munson. Two-base hits—Lewis, Munson, Humphreys, Caffey, Craig. Stolen bases—White, Covington, Alexander. Struck out—By Vick 5, Hill 2, Ragan 2. Bases on balls—Off Vick 2, Ragan 2. Pitchers' record—Off Hills 8 hits, 6 runs in 3 1-3 innings.

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10 to 11 p. m.

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KGO, 10, Educational program.
WOC, 10, Musical program.
WSB, 10:45, Warners Seven Aces.

11 to 12

KFI, 11 to 12, Examiner concert.

AUSTIN 9, TEMPLE 2

AUSTIN, Texas, July 6.—Austin was in a slugging mood today, winning over Temple, 9 to 2. Matlock hit three two-baggers.

Austin—	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Cannon 2 b	4	2	2	2	3	0
Matlock 3 b	4	1	3	2	2	0
Courtney l f	5	1	1	2	0	0
Anheier 1 b	4	0	2	6	2	0
Bedford c f	3	1	0	3	0	0
McIver r f	3	2	2	1	0	0
Gaither s s	3	0	0	1	1	1
Banner c	3	1	2	8	0	0
Whitworth p	4	1	1	2	1	0
Total	33	9	13	27	9	1
Temple—						
Wren l f	5	1	3	1	0	0
Storey 2 b	4	0	1	5	4	0
Brown c f	4	1	1	0	0	0
McElwee r f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Lind 1 b	4	0	0	10	2	0
Lacy c	1	0	0	1	1	0
Hudspeth c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Rich s s	4	0	0	0	5	1
Ludwick p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Nugent p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Loissner	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	36	2	8	24	15	1

Hudspeth hit for Lacy in fourth.
Loissner hit for Nugent in ninth.

Temple 100 100 000—2
Austin 313 000 20*—9

Home run—Banner. Two-base hits—Lance, Cannon 2, Matlock 3, Anheier, Wren, McIver, Whitworth, McElwee. Struck out—By Whitworth 8, Nugent 4. Bases on balls—Off Ludwick 2, Nugent 1. Whitworth 1. Losing pitcher—Ludwick. Stolen bases—Matlock, Bedford 2.

But She Did Not Count Her Time

DENTON, Texas, July 7.—Mrs. Frank Yarbrough just about built an entirely new kitchen for $5.95, and by so doing won first prize in the kitchen improvement contest in Denton county conducted by the Texas A. & M. college extension service.

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Valuable Hints For The Camping Diet

With the approach of summer, many housewives are confronted with a new phase of the food problem. The whole family, or some part of it, begins going off on hikes, fishing expeditions, camping trips, motor tours.

Or if it doesn't, it should. Getting outdoors is a growing national custom, and one that means more for health than almost any other you can think of. The automobile has brought the country and even the wilderness within striking distance of the city dweller. Every boy and girl ought to be taken outdoors early and taught how to live in the woods, how to swim, paddle a canoe, and cook over a camp fire. Love of outdoor life is a thing that gets into the blod. If your children acquire a taste for outdoor sports and a love of nature, they have a form of health insurance that will in all probability last a life time.

The trouble with many camping trips and some picnics lies in the department of the commissary. You have to learn how to feed yourself out doors, just as you have to learn how to sleep comfortably on the ground, how to avoid poison ivy and deerflies, how to make a fire and pitch a camp.

Most camp menus are deficient in fruits and vegetables, and this is especially true of hiking and canoe trips where economy of space and weight is necessary. It is often impossible to carry fresh fruits and vegetables and difficult to take enough canned goods to last.

Fruits and vegetables supply vitamines, minerals such as lime and iron and cellulose or roughage, which are just as necessary to health in the long run as sugars and proteids. The typical camp fare of bacon, beans and flapjacks, with a little canned stuff, may do well enough for a few days, but in the long run, without variety, it is bad. In combination with the large appetite which outdoor life brings, it accounts for many an attack of indigestion.

It is well to remember that about one half the bulk of a wholesome diet should consist of fruits and vegetables If this rule were followed many of the typical ills of civilization would vanish.

Dried fruit affords one of the most convenient methods of balancing the too-heavy camp diet and wise outdoor men know this. Inexperienced campers seldom make enough use of dried fruit, and especially of the imported dried fruits which need no cooking—that is, dates and figs. They think of them as winter delicacies rather than as substantial all year round food. Dates and figs are packed in paper and glass in such a way that they are available in good condition at all seasons.

Dates are an almost ideal food for the trail, the camp and the road. Unlike most fruits, they are a highly condensed food, affording a large amount of nourishment both for the space they occupy and for their weight. Artic explorers use them for this reason, and they are the staple foor of those master campers and nomads, the Arabs. They contain a large amount of sugar in a highly digestible form, and easily assimilated sugar is a prime necessity of the man who is undergoing hard physical exertion and exposure. They contain protein, in a small quantity, but enough so that the Arabs are able to live and do hard work on dates alone. The lime and iron, the vitamines and the cellulose, which are the elements that fruits and vegetables supply to the diet, are all present in the date, which is a fruit dried on the tree, and not put through any process of cooking or preparation that would rob it of essential food elements. The date as it comes to you contains everything that is contained except the water.

The same is true in large measure of figs, which have a little less food value than dates, but have a specific action on the bowles that makes them especially valuable as an element in a too-concentrated diet.

Prunes and dried apricots are two other fruits that should go with every camper for the sake of his health. The secret of preparing these fruits is to let them soak in water over night. High grade dried apricots, so treated before cooking make a delicious dessert which anyone can prepare.

Don't let indigestion spoil that trip. A little intelligent thought before hand is much better than a pill afterward.

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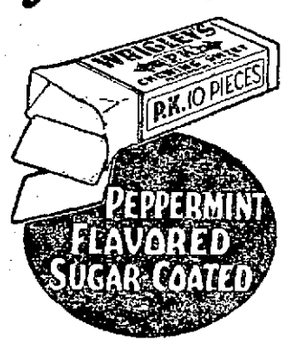

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"Send it to the Laundry"

By HEDDA HOYT
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(Written for United Press)

NEW YORK, July 3.—(United Press.)—

Sing a song of sixpense
Pocket full or rye
Five and twenty bathing girls
Basking neath the sky
When the day was over
The girls began to squeal
Because the sun had baked them brown
And they began to peel!

Baking the epidermis under the hot sun's rays has lost it's charm to the Fashionables, who have found that sunburned complexions require months of bleaching to restore them to pink and whiteness. Women who favor the deep brown complexion for summer months are resorting to colored powders rather than to actual sun rays and even colored powders are only being used for beach purposes, as the flimsy evening gowns this season demand lovely complexions.

Beach parasols have never been so popular as they will be this year. Small cloche-shaped beach hats will be worn to ward off the sun and to keep one from getting wrinkles about the eyes—'sun-squinting wrinkles," they are termed. Heavy powders are to be used for beach purposes. Shoulder capes will keep milady's shoulders white and longsleeved bathing suits are designed to prevent freckled arms.

Bathing Suit Styles.

Several years ago Annette Kellerman appeared in a one-piece bathing suit and since then thousands of women harkened to the call of the "figure" and appeared in these sung-fitting garments. Figures became so plentiful that the beach censor couldn't add them. And what happened? Figures ceased to be an attraction. Today the Fashionables let the others loll about with bare limbs and skin-tights, while they themselves don bathing costumes which look like abbreviated street frocks, or sports costumes. Suits of silks and satins embroidered and trimmed exactly like the frocks of this season form the dressy type of bathing suit while long-sleeved, tailored types with Eaton collars and cuffs follow the sports lines.

A typical costume of the better class is made of navy blue taffeta with batteau neckline, long bodice and short skirt which is made plain in front and rear with full, shirred side-panels. A bow or red ribbon being at the front neckline and terminates in long ends which are finished with red tassels. The tiny bloomers which are concealed beneath the skirt are red.

Black bathing suits with front panels of vividly colored embroidery and with a huge bow on one hip are favored by many shops. Little shoulder capes of self-material are smart and huge rubberized scarfs with flower patterns are numerous. Except for the shortness of the skirt, the bathing suit varies slightly from the street frock, having all the accessories of the street frock; cloche-shaped hat, vivid scarf, parasol vanity bag, etc.

Question of Material.

Among the materials which are popular this season are taffetas, satins, cretonnes, linens, ginghams, jerseys and flannel. Cretonne appliques are used on plain materials to form border effects. Printed cretonnes form entire bathing suits. and flannel favors the tailored mode. youthful types in little dress effects and flannel faors the tailored mode.

A popular long-sleeved black stain costume is made in tunic style, with the bloomers showing beneath the skirt. White satin collar and cuffs are used on this model and a row of white pearl buttons extend down the front of the tunic. Other black satin garments are made in long-waisted effect with three-tiered skirts.

Beach capes of striped flannel and cretonne of vivid colors are popular. The white flannel cape with a border of three contrasting colors of flannel at the hem is very pretty.

One particularly pretty model has stripes of black, orange, yellow and blue flannel stitched onto a white flannel cape.

Spanish Bathing Costume.

Following the mode for Spanish shawls we see an occasional Spanish bathing costume which is made of crepe with huge floral designs embroidered throughout and with a fringe about the hem of the skirt.

Many of the new bathing suits are very expensive, but most of them give us the idea that we can cut off the lower part of last Spring's frock and have a duplicate of these costly models.

Colored scarf's wound about the head are perhaps the most popular head-gear this season. The tight-fitting rubber cap is worn underneath this to keep the hair dry. One ties the scarf after the manner of the bandana, with a knot in front or with a knot at one side and with the ends hanging over the shoulder.

Bill or Flavor

ALL is not plain sailing in the new fashions. One can no longer be confident that an approaching creation on the avenue is a suit. For, on the wearer passing us, one perceives the all in one-ness of a coat. Or vice versa. And then, after we have been reduced to a pleasing state of bewilderment, it turns out that the costume is really a coat frock.

"It is quite a feature of this year," writes Henri Creange from Paris, "to see a coat frock looking like a straight gown at the back and like a tailor made with a short or long jacket in front, or the contrary. I even had the surprise the other day of seeing a mannikin taking off this already amazing garment to show a little dress underneath: it was an unexpected coat."

The costume of beige Krisalkrepe which has just been relayed to us from Cheney's Paris ateliers, shows all these ideas, and, besides, the very novel one of opening suddenly a high fastened jacket to show a brilliant colored waist.

Even when the front of the jacket is demurely closed, as shown in the small sketch, a gay note is added to the costume by the chic plaid bows tied around the throat and wrists, for the chic Parisienne to-day is as beplaided as any Highland lassie.

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"In some of the older irrigation districts," Dr. Lory said, "water has profoundly affected its character. It also has caused an increase in a bacterial flora which takes nitrogen from the air, giving an excess to the ground."

Nitrogen, Dr. Lory explained in proper quantities is beneficial to soil, but applied in excess, may sterilize it. been found, Dr. Lory said. He pointed out that hundreds of thousands acres of reclaimed lands throughout the West have actually deteriorated from year to year and will eventually become worthless under present care.

Much of the Greeley potato region has become unfit for this crop, due to long years of irrigation, Dr. Lory said, and Rocky Ford cantaloupes, famous throughout the country for their quality, are being infested with disease, due to over-irrigation, Lory alleged.

Editor ... much of ... Plains region of Colorado and other western states may within a few generations again be the stamping ground of buffalo, antelope, coyotes and rattlesnakes, making their homes on deserted farm property.

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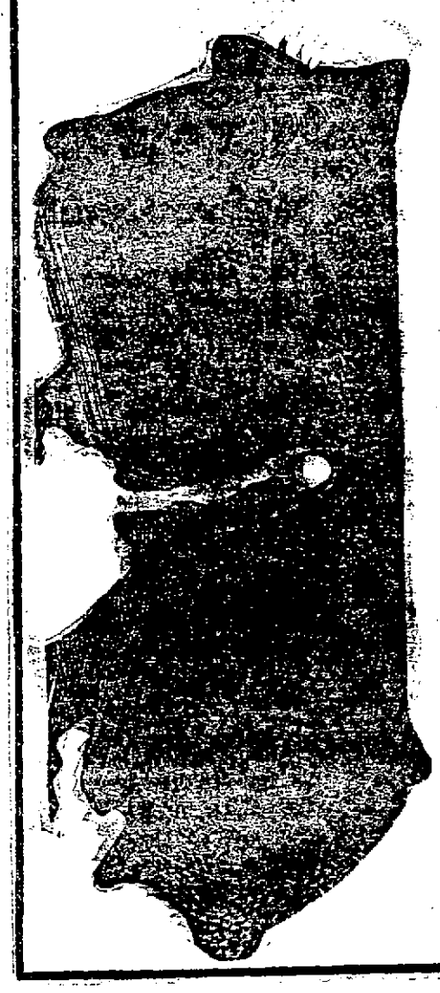

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"For Mexia, I WILL"

La Follette doesn't know just where he is going, but he is on his way.

It is to be hoped that the forty delegates from Texas will get back home in time to vote in the primary election the latter part of this month.

Three more weeks of the campaign and state, district, county and precincts will get a try out. Of course there will not be as much row about it as there has been in New York.

The Lord is the portion of mine inheritance and of my cup: thou maintainest my lot. The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places: yet, I have a goodly heritage.—Psalm 16:5-6.

At last the Board of Regents succeeded in finding a man for the presidency of the University—a Texas man, too. Dr. Walter M. W. Splawn, one of the railroad commissioners, has been offered the place and has accepted.

Alva Bryan of Waco, who has just returned from the convention on account of sickness, says it is not so much Klan as it is booze that is deadlocking the convention. It is a fight between the drys and wets that mus tbe settled, and he thinks the contest may last a week or ten days longer.

Percy Noodles says that when he asked the capitalist's daughter what her folks would think if they heard he was sending telegrams to Mr. McAdoo she said they would think he was sending them "collect."—Snap Shots.

Better send them paid. Mc may be broke by this time.

Texas has too few officials who place the public interest above their own political fortunes to lose one when they have him. Clarence E. Gilmore, who is asking for a second term as Railroad Commissioner, is that kind of an official and should receive the votes of all Democrats who appreciate an earnest, honest public officer.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

N YORK AS ... CONVENTION HOST

Houston Post.

...is not an exaggeration to say ... the predicament in which the ...ocratic convention finds itself is ... in part to the fact that it is ...ing in New York.

...hen the idea of holding the con...ion in the metropolis was first ...ested, misgivings were expressed ...many about the wisdom of holding ...convention within the environs of ...city that boasts of Wall street and ...largest unrestrained flow of liquor ...se who expressed their doubts ...promptly ridiculed for their ...provincialism. And, besides New York promised to be very good.

The fact remains, however, that those who were the most insistent on giving the convention to New York were those who now prove to be the strongest backers of Governor Smith. That they believed the governor would have a better chance with the convention meeting in his home town there is no doubt. They could not be blamed for seeking that advantage for him, nor for using that advantage, within the bounds of reason and decency.

With the convention assembled in New York and the demonstration practice recognized, the New York contingent of Governor Smith's forces have openly undertaken to overawe the convention into accepting Smith. The scenes during the Smith demonstration resulted from something more than mere local exuberance for the governor. The hired backers who stormed the hall without tickets, insulted adherents of other candidates, and attempted by noise and strong arm tactics to run away with the convention, were clearly attempting to put mob rule in control.

The attitude of the New Yorkers upon that occasion, as well as their packing of the galleries to boo and hiss delegations and speakers not friendly to Smith, have only served to strengthen the determination of the anti-Smith factions not to be browbeaten or stampeded by local rowdies who imagine that Smith can bring back to them their liquor. Scratch the surface of the enthusiasm for Smith and the label of bottled in bond will be apparent, and New York, or at least that part of it that sponsors Governor Smith, is ready to go to almost any length to restore John Barleycorn.

Likewise, had the convention been meeting elsewhere, and had the anti-Klan forces, which center in New York, been anywhere else except upon their home ground, the fight over the klan probably would have been less bitter, and the chance for a compromise would have been greater.

With two much burning issues before the convention, and the seat of the convention so violently partisan in its support of one side of those questions, and determined to have its way, it is not surprising that the other side becomes equally determined to fight back, with the resulting deadlock.

Under ordinary circumstances, New York would doubtless be a satisfactory city in which to hold the convention, but in such a situation as this, in which the controlling forces in New Yor keity are desperately intent upon dictating the result, it is apparent that its meeting there is unfortunate.

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WITH AUNT EMMY

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN

"Aunt Emmy," said Jane, "I wish you would make something clear to me. Last night Mr. Wilkins and Ted were talking about bonds. Mr. Wilkins said a lot about 'public utility bonds,' whatever that means, and seemed to think that they are the greatest things ever, so I thought maybe Ted and I might buy one with that $1,000 Daddy gave us for a wedding present, but I'd like to know more about them first."

"You have the makings of a financier, Jane," laughed Aunt Emmy, "since you have sense enough to stop, look and listen before you buy. I like public utility bonds, too—that is, good ones. They are bonds issued by corporations that serve the public with something useful, hence the name, public utility. The gas company, the electric light and power company, the telephone and similar companies are public utility corporations. Their business is based on real public needs. But it is also essential that they be well managed to be a good investment.

"Of course there are other bonds equally good. Always bear in mind that when you buy a bond you loan money to the corporation whose bond you buy. You do not buy a share of the business, as you do when you buy stock. The bond you buy bears interest, and this interest must be paid to you before the company can pay out a single cent in dividends. Nevertheless bonds must be carefully selected with the advice of someone who knows."

"How do you think one can know if a company is safe or not, Aunty?" asked Jane.

"Well, that is difficult. But I should say that if a company whose bonds you fancy has been doing a good business for ten years and has not merely ma... thing to ... opinion ... have bought ... any corporation don't put them away and forget them. Seek your bank's advice from time to time and keep informed of the progress of the corporation you are interested in. If you see anything in the papers that alarms you in any way go at once to your bank and ask their advice about selling out and reinvesting in something else. Banks have facilities for keeping in touch with financial conditions, and they are always glad to help."—ANNE B. AYMES.

THE IMPORTANCE OF FOREIGN TRADE

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It is true that we might exist without foreign trade, that we might depend exclusively upon domestic consumption. To do that, however, would require a complete reorganization of our whole commercial and industrial structure, a reorganization which would require years of time and which would entail losses beyond calculation. The more reasonable alternative is to take steps toward the restoration of a normal foreign market.—Walter W. Head, President American Bankers Association.

Weather Conditions Affect Business

DALLAS, Texas, July 3.—Adverse weather conditions and the menace of insects to growing crops had a marked effect on business conditions in this section during May, according to the monthly federal reserve bank review for the 11th district. Farmers have not only been greatly delayed in the planting of row crops but also have found it exceedingly difficult to obtain a good stand of cotton, the review states.

"Damage by insects to crops seems to be more serious than a year ago," according to the survey. "Offsetting this, however, is the fact that small grains promise a heavy yield."

Wholesale merchandising was retarded during the month and "conservatism and hand to mouth buying were the keynotes of trade reports."

A steady decline in the volume of charges to individual accounts and a similar decline in building activity is noted.

The district's failure record, however, showed satisfactory improvement.

Condition of the cotton crop was not very optimistic, the condition on May 25 being 66 percent, which with but two exceptions, is the lowest benefited by the ...mely r...

Petroleum production ... slight decline in the daily out...t, under the May production total, the review notes.

Savings deposits show an increase in member banks of the district.

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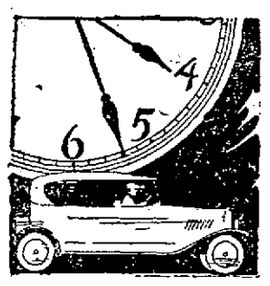

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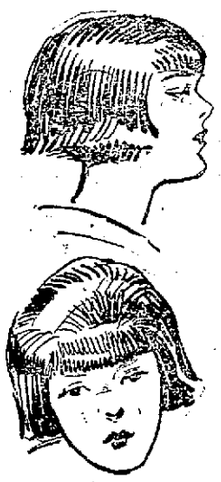

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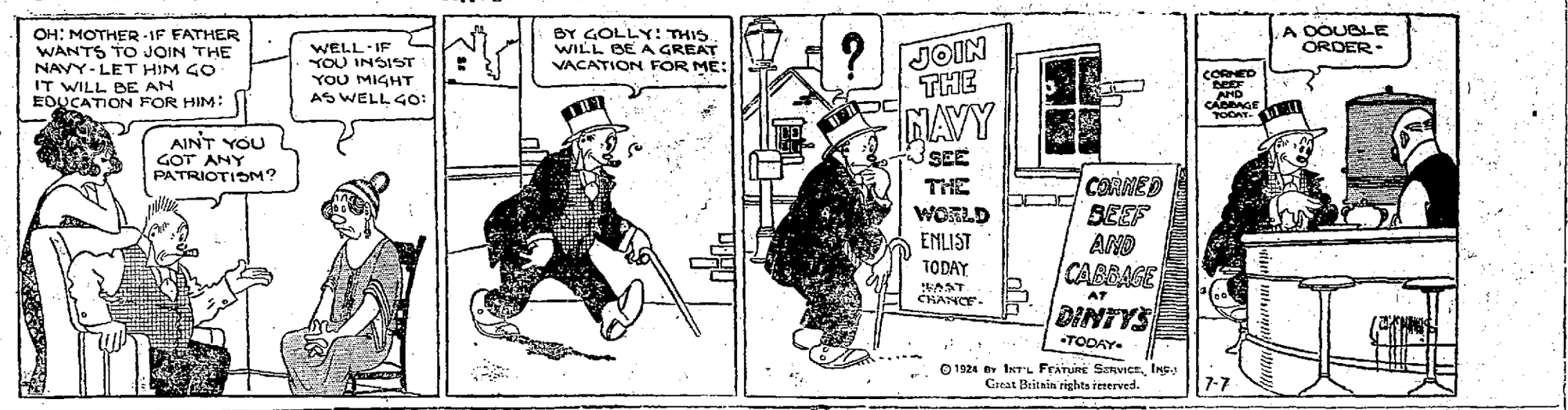
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For Governor—
FELIX G. ROBERTSON.
For Senator 13th District—
HARRY P. JORDAN
For District Judge, 77th Judicial Dis.
C. H. MACHEN
A. M. BLACKMON (Re-election.)
W. R. BOYD, (Freestone County.)
For District Attorney,
77th Judicial District—
LUTHER B. AULTMAN
For Judge 87th Judicial District—
J. ROSS BELL
(Re-Election 2nd Term)
J. E. WOODS.
L. E. EUBANKS
For District Clerk—
M. A. AINSWORTH.
For Representative, Sixth Congressional District—
LUTHER A. JOHNSON
(Re-Election Sought)
For Representative Limestone County
W. P. ALEXANDER.
For County Judge—
H. F. KIRBY (Re-election sought)
JOHNSON WAKEFIELD
B. W. MILES.
For County Clerk—
J. L. DAY, (re-election, 2nd. term.)
For County Tax Assessor—
TOM M. CAIN
R. W. (BOB) STEEN
A. A. HYDEN.
J. L. HIGGINBOTHAM
For Tax Collector—
W. A. ROBBINS. (re-election.)
For County Treasurer—
MRS. LULA OATES, (re-election.)
H. C. FITZGERALD.
For Sheriff—
WHIT POPEJOY (re-election.)
For Commissioner Precinct No. 4—
JOHN M. KENNEDY, (re-election)
LUTHER COX.
County Attorney—
SCOTT REED (re-election, second term.)
For County School Superintendent—
J. J. BATES.
MRS. CORA FERGUSON
(Re-election.)
For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 4—
S. H. FLAKE
CHARLES L. CLOVER.
O. KENNEDY, (re-election, second term.)
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4
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32	From Dallas	10:08 a. m.
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18	Houston San Antonio	1:37 a. m.
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NOTICE OF CHARTER ELECTION

An ordinance ordering an election in the City of Mexia, Texas, to be held on the 7th day of July, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of the City of Mexia, Texas, for the adoption or rejection of the proposed charter, prepared and framed by the Charter Commission heretofore elected, and designating the places at which said election is to be held, and appointing presidng officers thereof and declaring an emergency.

WHEREAS, on the 11th day of February, 1924, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, duly enacted an ordinance, submitting to the qualified voters of said City, at an election ordered and held for the purpose, on the 18th day of March, 1924, the question: "SHALL A COMMISSION BE CHOSEN TO FRAME A CHARTER"? and also providing for an election of fifteen members of a charter commission in case a majority of the votes cast at such election should be in favor of the choosing of such a commission, and which ordinance was duly approved and published and notices of such election were duly given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, said question was duly submitted and voted upon at said election in said city on said date, and the majority of the qualified voters voting at such election voted in favor of the choosing of a commission to frame a charter, and also a majority of the qualified voters voting at said election, voted in favor of fifteen citizens of said city to compose said Charter Commission; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly and legally held on the said 18th day of March, 1924, and results of said election was duly certified and returned to the City Commission by the proper election officers; and

WHEREAS, on the 21st day of March, 1924, this commission considered the several returns and canvassed the same, and found that there were cast, at said election, six hundred twenty-seven (627) votes, of which number five hundred five (505) votes were cast for the choosing of a charter commission, and one hundred twenty-two (122) votes were cast against the choosing af a charter commission, and this commission thereupon, by resolution, duly entered, declared that the proposition so submitted was sustained and adopted by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, voting at said election; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, has examined into and investigated the regularity of the proceedings for said election and finds that the same was duly and legally held, that the notice required by law to be given has been duly and legally given, and that said election was conducted in strict conformity with all the requirements of law; and

WHERAS, each and all of said fifteen citizens, so elected, duly qualified as members of said charter commission, and met and organized the same, and duly proceeded to frame a charter for the City of Mexia, Texas, and heretofore, on the 27th day of May, 1924, as such commission, signed such proposed charter and duly provided for the submission of the same to a vote of the qualified voters of said City, at an election to be held upon the question of the adoption or rejection of such charter upon the 7th day of July, 1924; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commisison provided that the present City Commission shall call an election for such purpose; and

WHEREAS, the said Charter Commission will ratify and confirm and make the enactment of this ordinance its act and deed, and will make such ordinance its order for such election, all of which will be evidenced by the signature of the members of said Charter Commission appended hereto under the words: "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION"; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MEXIA, TEXAS:

Section 1. That an election shall be held in the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 7th day of July, 1924, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"Shall the charter reported by the Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, on the 27th day of May, 1924, and which had been prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected by the qualified voters of the city of the 18th day of March, 1924, be adopted as the charter of the City of Mexia, Texas, as contemplated and authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session?"

Section 2. That the polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be, respectively as follows: the polling place shall be at the City Hall, in the City of Mexia, and W. B. Kendrick is hereby designated as presiding officer.

Section 3. That said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 147, Acts of 1913, Regular Session, and all persons qualified to vote in said City under the laws of this State regulating general elections shall be allowed to vote.

Section 4. That the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections, when not in conflict with the provisions of the law hereinabove referred to.

Section 5. All voters desiring to adopt a charter so prepared and reported by the Charter Commission shall have printed on their ballot the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

"For the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

And those opposed shall have on their ballots the following:

"Against the adoption of the Charter prepared by the Charter Commission duly elected on the 18th day of March, 1924, and which was reported by said Charter Commission to the City Commission of the City of Mexia on the 27th day of May, 1924."

Section 6. That the action of the aforesaid Charter Commission in calling the election for the purpose hereinabove stated, and in all other respects with reference to the framing and submitting of such proposed charter, are hereby ratified and confirmed, and the said Charter Commission, or the members thereof, shall ratify and confirm all things done by the present City Commission of the City of Mexia, Texas, with respect to the matters and things dealt with in this ordinance, and shall make the same their act and deed by subscribing their respective names hereunto under the caption, "APPROVED BY CHARTER COMMISSION," and such names as so subscribed shall be published as a part of this ordinance.

Section 7. A copy of this ordinance shall be sufficient notice of said election, and thirty (30) days notice of the time and place of holding the said election shall be given by posting certified copies thereof at the places designated for holding said election at least thirty (30) days prior to the holding of said election, and by publication of such notice not less than thirty (30) full days from date of election.

Section 8. The fact that the City of Mexia is at the present time without a charter and that the public intrests require the adoption of a charter, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity for the suspension of the rules requiring ordinances to be read upon more than one day and for the immediate taking effect of this ordinance, and such rules are hereby suspended, and it is ordained that this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Passed and approved this the 27th day of May, 1924.

E. WATSON,
Mayor of the City of Mexia, Texas.
(Seal)
Approved:
Attest:
R. D. Morgan, City Secretary.
Approved by Charter Commission:
I. W. Keys
David Murphy
Ben F. Stollenwerck
B. R. Howard
Carl Davis
J. I. Riddle
C. A. Chambers
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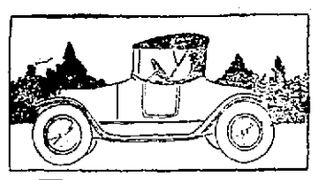
W. Duke Pittman



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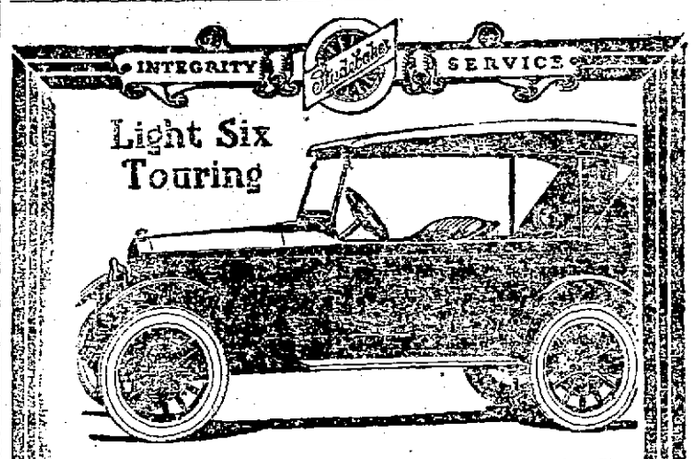

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Conferences Fail To Solve Problem

By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, New York, July 7.—William G. McAdoo has elected to fight the field alone at the Democratic national convention.

Backed into a corner by the strategy of the combined forces of Governor Al Smith and all the "dark horses," McAdoo is staking everything on his personal "battalion of death," whose loyalty in meaintaining his veto power will be tested today.

When the convention began the third week of its deliberations this morning there were two proposals before the delegates representing the net results of the week-end adjournment taken Saturday afternoon to enable representatives of the various candidates to develop a plan for breaking the deadlock.

One of these plans was drafted at a meeting of the little entente—representatives of candidates whose vote always has trailed that of McAdoo. It provided that all delegates should be and hereafter are released from all pledges and instructions as to whom they should support for the nomination. It was signed by all the candidates except McAdoo. The other proposal was drafted by Mr. McAdoo himself who, believing that the release of the delegates in itself would not solve the deadlock, suggested:

1. That the unit rule be abrogated, thereby releasing all delegates to vote as they choose.

2. That the majority rule be substituted for the two-thirds rule, enabling a candidate to be nominated by a bare margin of those voting.

3. That after each ballot beginning today, the candidate receiving the lowest vote should eb dropped from lowest roll until a nomination is made.

4. That each delegate present shall be able to vote his prorata of the delegates who have gone home.

These two plans emerged from the conferences of candidates' representatives which started Saturday evening, were resumed Sunday afternoon and concluded early today.

Saturday night's conference soon developed that McAdoo's contention: I have the most delegates of any candidate; why should I withdraw?" precluded the possibility of selecting a compromise ticket.

Thereafter all thought was concentrated on a course of procedure that would break the deadlock and the procedure had as its first objective elimination of McAdoo. To this end the "dark horse" representatives met yesterday afternoon and drafted the resolution calling on all candidates to release their pledge delegates. This was signed by everyone, headed by Al Smith and then presented to McAdoo. It was a clever move and placed him in an embarrissing predicament. If he released delegates held to him under the unit rule or other pledges his losses might have been such as to have a psychological reaction on the convention distinctly detrimental to his cause. If he refused the proposal he would be as he no wis, accused by his opponents of blocking efforts to end the deadlock.

The harmony conferees then had two questions before them and realizing they could not make an unanimous report on either, decided to submit both to the convention in the form of a report.

Meantime, the delegates of all candidates save McAdoo were free to vote as they chose beginning with the first ballot today. There is no action of the convention itself that can force a change in the voting procedure of McAdoo's delegates. So, with the opening of the seventeenth session and the calling of the 78th roll, the situation was precisely as it was Saturday with the single exception that delegates voting for Al Smith and the favorite sons don't have to continue do so if they don't wish to. Most of them are expected to cast their votes exactly as they have heretofore.

MURDER OF DEPUTY STIRS ALL ITALY.

COMMENDATORE FILIPPELLI UNDER ARREST, DEPUTY MATTEOTTI, PREMIER MUSSOLINI & COMMENDATORE CAESAR ROSSI (Below) MATTEOTTI HOME

Despite rigid censorship, it is leaking out that all Italy is in an uproar over the kidnaping of Deputy Giacomo Matteotti, multi-millionaire Socialist, who was slain by members of the Fascisti while on his way to Parliament in Rome to expose corruption in the Mussolini Cabinet. The automobile standing before Matteotti's mansion is on the exact spot where the kidnapers bundled him into their car and fled. Commendatore Caesar Rossi, chief of Premier Mussolini's press bureau, is charged with giving orders to have Matteotti killed. Commendatore Filippelli, prominent member of the Fascisti, is also under arrest for participation in the murder.

Misses Corinne and Elsie Desenberg and Mrs. Julius Desenberg left today for a two months visit to the city of Chicago and other places of the north.

Every United States weather bureau station in the Continental United States except that at Key West, Fla., has at sometime or other experienced a killing frost.

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LETTERS From the People

ABOUT THE CHARTER

What I have in mind is to answer the Hon. E. Watson's letter in Sunday's issue, July 6th, 1924. You say several people have asked you about the new charter, and you proceed to try to explain why you or somebody else should continue as mayor. I am going to try to tell you why the mayor business is a dismal failure. If you would look around a little and consentrate your mind and your brain on a few of the needs of Mexia possibly there would not be so much agitation of City Government as it now exists. Do you know it is your business to lead? Now let's see what you could do.

If you will travel over the road to the oil field three or four times a day and then move out toward the cemetery or take your pleasure rides out that way. You would get up a meeting and let every business man susscribe a small sum. You get out in your working clothes and tell J. K. Hughes, Ben Smith, Dave Murphy, Sweatt, to crack down or give three days work themselves. Leaders is what we want. You rustle out your bunch of boys on city pay roll. Stop playing dominos long enought to give some real service to city, we would not hear so much of city government talk. Now I don't want to knock on dominos. I wrote a book on 42 but just a word from me, "There is a time for all things." I have no city vote. If I had I would vote for you possibly, but I would get in behind you and make you do something as my experience is clear is what you have to do to get anything out of a politician.

If you say you have not got road equipment borrow Commissioner Kennedy's outfit at night—get electric lights folks to light up. Call on your Lion club and Rotary boys too, to quit eating and talking so much and get on their overalls and lets do something. I don't care for publicity. But if you want some work done, I will give three whole working days to the project. Make a road to what made Mexia and a street to our cemetery where our loved ones are buried.

I am for Mexia first, last and all the time.

P. J. BANNER.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Huchingson spent the 4th in Waco.

Mrs. H. C. Maxwell has returned home from a three weeks visit in Marshall.

Mrs. Lamar Campbell of Shreveport, La., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Forrest and family from LeLeon, Texas, are visiting their mother Mrs. F. E. Forrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gray from Terrell spent the Fourth of July with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Boyd, leaving Saturday morning for Galveston for a several weeks visit.

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OFF ON AUTO TRIP TO THE SOUTHWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Lewis, living at the Reunion Grounds, accompanied by Jim Comfort and family of Corsicana, left Monday in their cars for a trip through Southwest Texas, to be gone about two weeks. They will visit Austin, Kerrville, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and any other attractive place along the route.

EASTERN STAR REGULAR MEETING TONIGHT

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star tonight at 8 o'clock. All officers are urged to be present promptly, and members are also expected. Visitors are always welcome.

MRS. OSCAR DENNING, W. M.

NOTICE.

Ira Lawley, candidate for County Attorney will address the citizens of Mexia Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 p. m. upon the streets, and will discuss the record made by the present County Attorney. Will divide time with my opponent and invite him to be present. (Adv. 1t)

Fred S. Karner has returned from a tour of the eastern states, and will remain at home for a few weeks before going to Colorado to spend the remainder of the summer with Colonel Humphreys.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To those concerned I wish to state that four diamond rings instead of three were sold at $1.00 each last Saturday at my "Put and Take Sale."

The $100.00 ring was bought by Mrs. McMillian, Mexia; the $75.00 ring by Mrs. Harlow of Brownwood, visiting her son Pete Mays of this city; the $35.00 ring went to Mr. Prewitt and the other ring to Miss Cora Oliphant, assistant secretary of Chamber of Commerce. The phonograph was bought by Miss Bobbie Lind of Mexia. The 40 piece set of silver by Mrs. Smith of Karner & Phillpis, and the 42 piece set of china by Mrs. William Goar, of Wortham, Texas.

I desire to thank all who attended this sale most heartily for their cooperation in making it a success.

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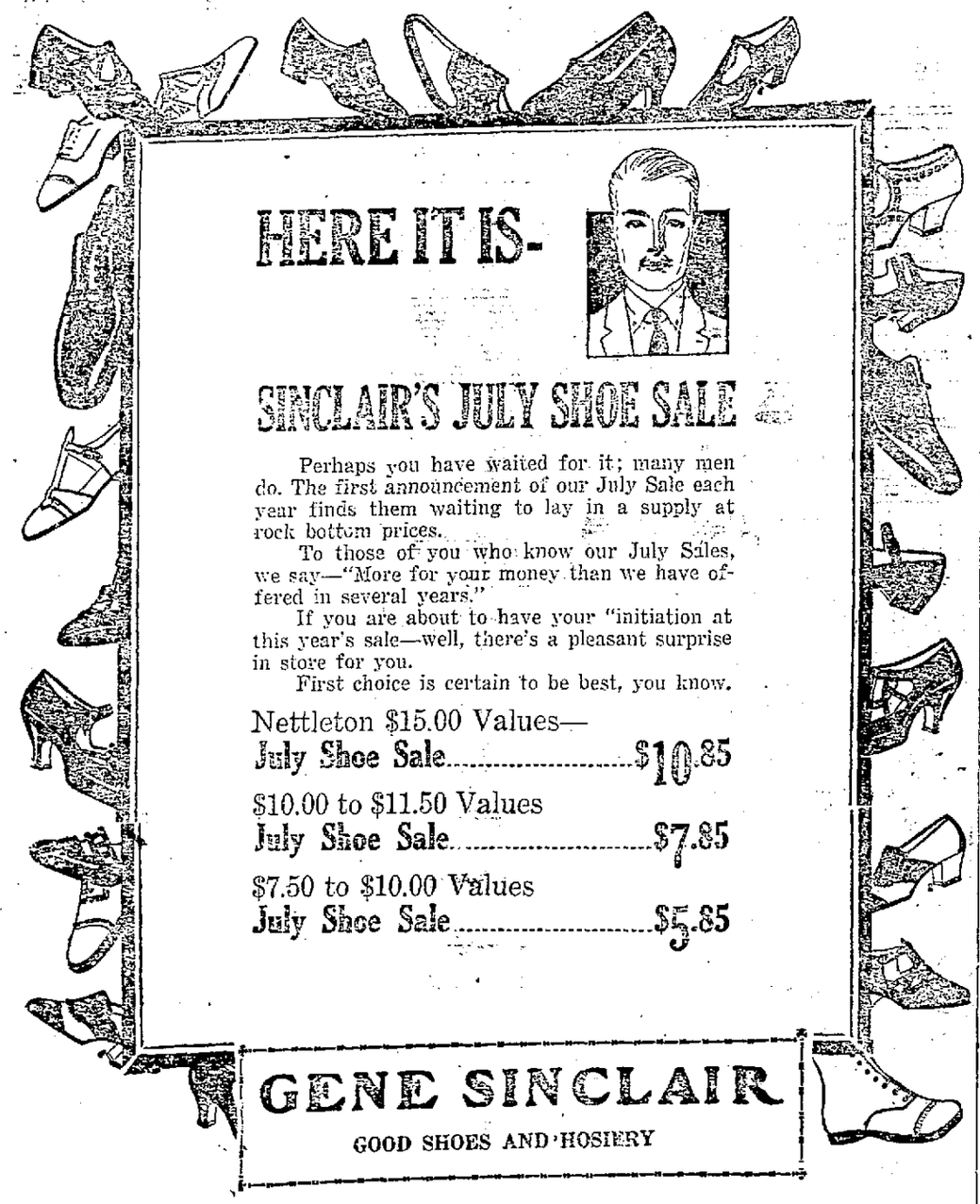

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